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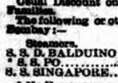

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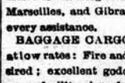

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Bar Silver 17 Betterness	„ 106-10
Bar Silver 17½ Do.	„ 106-14
Spruce Silver	„ 106

THE dramatic pursuit of the Itata by the Charleston and the Esmeralda, seems to be more dramatic in the sense that it is a piece of acting, than in any other. It is still in the interviewing stage—Mr. Tracy expatiating to reporters, and the captains of the Esmeralda and Charleston, having interviewed each other, Mr. Tracy continues to declare that he means business. The captains, who met in the port at Acapulco when coaling (the Itata being still nowhere visible), exchanged an "Over my dead body" and an "I don't care if I do." But to the outside world it begins to look as if nothing would more embarrass all parties than a meeting. The Chilian Congress party is offering to square the *lesa majestas* of the States through peaceful channels, and, as the cat seems to be jumping their way, and not President Balmaceda's, we may fairly expect to be disappointed of the promised dress-rehearsal of a modern sea-fight.

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Beefsteak, (under part), per lb	0 4 6
Do (round), per lb	0 1 6
Meat for soup, per lb	0 1 3
Shins, large, each	0 4 6
„ small, each	0 3 9
Tongues, fresh, each	0 3 0
„ salt, each	0 7 0
Suet, 1st sort, per lb	0 3 9
„ 2nd sort, per lb	0 3 0
Liver, each	0 3 6
Heart, each	0 1 6
Kidneys, each	0 2 0
Marrow Bones, each	0 1 0
Briskets and Round, 1st sort, for salting, per lb	0 2 3
„ 2nd „	0 2 0
Oxtail, each	0 2 0
Sirloin, per lb	0 3 0
Ham Rifle, each	0 3 0
Beef salt, English, per lb	0 3 0
MUTTON (1st SORT)—	
Saddle, per lb	0 4 0
Leg, Loin, Shoulder and Neck, per lb	0 3 0
Liver and Heart, 1st sort, each	0 3 0
„ 2nd sort, each	0 2 6
Breast, large, each	0 2 6
„ small, each	0 2 0
Head, each	0 3 6
Kidneys, each	0 1 0
Suet, per lb	0 3 0
Mutton, Goat, Country, per lb	0 3 0
MUTTON (2ND SORT)—	
Saddle, per lb	0 2 9
Leg, Loin, Shoulder and Neck, per lb	0 2 3
Liver and Heart, 1st sort, each	0 2 3
„ 2nd sort, each	0 2 0
Breast, large, each	0 2 0
„ small, each	0 2 0
Kidneys, each	0 1 0
Suet, per lb	0 2 0
Mutton, Goat, Country, per lb	0 2 6
KID (SMALL)—	
Hind Quarter, 1st sort, per piece	0 14 0
Fore „ per piece	0 12 0
Hind Quarter, 2nd sort, per piece	0 10 0
Fore „	0 8 0
Head, Feet, Liver and Heart, per piece	0 6 0
(PORK FRESH AND SALT)—	
Pork, Fresh, per lb	0 4 0
„ Salt, country, per lb	0 5 0
Pigs, (Roaster), each	3 8 0
„ Head, per lb	0 2 0
Sausages, per lb	0 5 0
Bacon, per lb	0 5 0
Pigs' Feet, salt or fresh, per set	0 3 0
„ Lard, per lb	0 0 6
„ Boiled Lard, per lb	0 0 9
Pork, Salt, English, per lb	0 0 0
POULTRY—	
Geese, each	3 8 0
Turkey Cocks (very large), each	6 0 0
„ Hens, each	3 0 0
Ducks, large, each	1 0 0
Fowls, Bombay, large, each	0 14 0
„ „ middling, each	0 10 0
Chickens, large, each	0 7 0
„ small, each	0 4 0
Eggs, each	0 0 5
Guinea Fowls, each	1 0 0
Pigeons, per pair	0 14 0
„ young, per pair	0 10 0
Rabbits, each	1 8 0
Doves, per pair	0 7 0
MILK AND BUTTER—	
Cow's Milk, per seer measure	0 2 6
Buffalo's Milk, per seer measure	0 2 0
„ Butter, per cup, 2 ozs	0 1 0
Jagree, per maund	8 0 0
Butter, English, per tin	1 0 0
Cheese English, per tin	0 12 0
BREAD—	
Loaves, 1st sort, 16 oz, each	0 1 9
„ 2nd sort, 16 oz, each	0 1 6
„ brown, each	0 2 0
Flour, Wheat, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 3
„ 2nd sort per seer	0 1 0
Rolong, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 3
„ 2nd sort, per seer	0 1 0
Biscuits, Poona, per lb	0 1 0
„ Bombay, per lb	0 2 0
„ Poona, Mixed per lb	0 1 0
Flour, Rice, 1st sort per seer	0 0 9
Bajri „ per seer	0 0 9
FIREWOOD—	
Coal, Europe, per ton	17 0 0
Charcoal, country, per maund	0 9 0
Babool, per candy	3 8 0
„ per maund	0 3 0
Kurrachee Babool, per candy	3 3 0
„ per maund	0 0 3
Aino, per candy	6 0 0
„ per maund	0 0 6
Mixed, of different sorts, per candy	4 8 0
„ „ per maund	0 2 0
Kurmell, per candy	5 0 0
„ per maund	0 3 0
Khaire, per candy	7 8 0
„ per maund	0 4 0
Hay, 10½ lbs	2 8 0
OIL—	
Cocoanut, 1st sort, per maund	4 4 0
„ 2nd sort, per maund	4 0 0
Sweet Teel, Oil, 1st sort	4 4 0
„ 2nd sort, per maund	3 6 0
Linseed Oil, country, per maund	4 0 0
Castor Oil, Bombay, per maund	3 8 0
„ Calcutta, per maund	4 8 0
Kerosine Oil, Snow Flake, per tin	2 9 0
„ „ Common, per tin	1 14 0
GHEE—	
Ghee, Surat, per seer	0 5 6
„ Ghantoo, per seer	0 5 0
„ Jaffrabad, per seer	0 4 0
Vinegar, table, country, per bottle	0 6 0
„ common, country, per bottle	0 2 0
Mora spirit, per bottle	0 13 0
SUGAR—	
Coffee, 1st sort, per seer	0 0 0
„ 2nd sort, per seer	0 0 0
Sugarcandy, 1st sort, per seer	0 3 0
„ 2nd sort, per seer	0 2 0
Sugar, soft, 1st sort, per seer	0 1 6
„ 2nd sort, per seer	0 1 3
„ brown, per seer	0 1 0
„ Mauritius, per seer	0 1 3
Tea, 1st sort, per lb	2 0 0
„ Hill, per lb	0 14 0
„ 2nd sort, per lb	0 8 0
Sago, per seer	0 1 6
GRAIN—	
Wheat, 1st sort, per phurra	4 12 0
„ 2nd „ „	4 4 0
„ 3rd sort, per phurra	3 4 0
Gram, Jamboosoor, per phurra	3 12 0
„ Ghantoo, per phurra	3 4 0
„ Dall, per phurra	4 8 0
Coolty (Horse Gram), per phurra	2 8 0
Cowpea, (Bhagthy), per phurra	3 6 0
„ Dall, per phurra	3 0 0
Mutt, Ghautee, per phurra	2 12 0
„ Cutchy, per phurra	3 8 0
Bajree, Ghautee, per phurra	4 8 0
„ Bhownuggur, per phurra	3 8 0
Rice, Jorasal, 1st sort, per phurra	6 8 0
„ 2nd sort, per phurra	6 0 0
„ common, per phurra	4 4 0
„ Bengal, 1st sort, per phurra	6 8 0
„ 2nd sort, per phurra	6 0 0
Paddy, or Rice in husk, 1st sort, per phurra	1 12 0
„ 2nd sort, per phurra	1 6 0
Barley (new), per phurra	2 10 0
„ (old) per phurra	2 0 0
Oats, per phurra	2 10 0
Jowaree or Cholum or Jonaloo	2 8 0
Linseed, per phurra	4 0 0
Maize, per phurra	2 8 0
Moong, per phurra	4 4 0
„ Dall per phurra	4 0 0
Mussoor per phurra	3 6 0
Nachnie or Raggy, per phurra	3 12 0
Poas, per phurra	3 4 0
Toor, per phurra	2 12 0
„ Dall, 1st sort, per phurra	3 8 0
„ 2nd sorts	3 4 0
Wal Beans, of sort, per phurra	2 2 0
Wurroo or Veragoo	3 0 0
Kong, per phurra	3 1 0
VEGETABLE—	
Potatoes, Mahableshwur, large, per md	5 0 0
„ „ per seer	0 2 6
„ „ small, per md	3 12 0
„ „ per seer	0 1 6
„ Poona or Surat, large, per md	1 8 0
„ „ per seer	0 0 5
„ „ small, per md	0 14 0
„ „ per seer	0 0 5
Turnips, large, per dozen	0 0 9
„ small, per dozen	0 0 6
Beet, large, each	0 2 0
„ small, each	0 0 6
Radishes white, per dozen	0 2 0
„ red, per dozen	0 1 6
Tomatoes, per seer	0 0 6
French Beans, per seer	0 1 0
Knol Khol, per dozen	0 1 6
Brinjals, Nagpoor, per seer	0 0 6
Pumpkins, large, each	0 10 0
„ small, each	0 0 8
Beans, double, per seer	0 1 0
Parsley, per small bundle	0 0 3
Betelnut, per maund	5 0 0
„ leaf, per 100	0 3 0
Sweet Potatoes per seer	0 0 6
FRUITS—	
Pineapple, large, each	0 6 0
„ small, each	0 3 0
Pomeloes, large, each	1 8 0
„ small, each	0 8 0
Guavas, large, per dozen	0 8 0
„ small, per dozen	0 4 0
Orange, large, Nagpore, per dozen	2 8 0
„ small, per dozen	1 4 0
Melons, water, large, each	0 4 0
„ small, each	0 2 0
Plantains large, red, per dozen	0 6 0
„ small, red, per dozen	0 4 0
„ large, yellow, per dozen	0 3 0
„ small, yellow, per dozen	0 2 0
Limes, sour, per dozen	0 0 6
Pomegranate, Bombay, per dozen	1 0 0
Mangoes, Afoso, per dozen	1 0 0
„ Payree, per dozen	0 4 0
„ Common, per dozen	1 8 0
Figs, Poona, per dozen	0 5 0
Flowers, mixed, per bunch	0 1 6
Chekoos, per dozen	1 0 0
Moosoombees, Poona, per dozen	2 0 0
Date Muscat, per packet	0 8 0
FRESH FISH—	
Pomfret, white, large, per pair	0 10 0
„ „ medium, per pair	0 6 0
„ „ small, per pair	0 4 0
Prawns, small, per dozen	0 1 0
Shrimps, per score	0 1 0
Bamlows, per score	0 3 0
Oysters, in shell, per dozen	0 3 0
„ opened, per dozen	0 2 0
Lobsters, each	0 2 0
DRY FISH—	
Pomfret, white, large, each	0 1 3
„ small, each	0 0 9
Surmaye, large, each	0 1 3
Patah, large, each	0 1 0
„ small, each	0 0 6
Dhomee, large, each	0 1 0
„ small, each	0 0 6
Wagtee, large, per dozen	0 1 0
„ small, per dozen	0 0 6
Bumlows, per dozen	0 0 6
Dumgry fish, each	0 1 3
PICKLES, COUNTRY—	
Mango, per seer	0 1 0
Limo, per seer	0 1 3
Mixed, per seer	0 0 9
Papads, large, per seer	0 1 3
„ small, per seer	0 1 3
Salt, 1st sort, per seer	0 0 4
„ 2nd sort, per seer	0 0 9
„ pounded, per seer	0 1 6

CALENDAR.—JUNE, 1891.

First Quarter	June 14th,	3h. 25m.,	p.m.
Full Moon	„ 22nd,	7h. 35m.,	a.m.
Last Quarter	„ 29th,	4h. 7·4m.,	a.m.

Days.	Engagements, &c.	Sun-rise.	Sun-set.	High Water.	Low Water.
		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.
Sat. 13	.....	5 23	6 37	3 14m	8 43m
				3 58 a	11 3 a
Sun. 14	Third Sunday after Trinity.	5 23	6 37	4 13m	9 34m
				4 41 a	11 58 a
Mon. 15	English Mail expected per s.s. Kaiser-i-Hind*	5 23	6 37	5 25m	10 57m
				5 27 a	——
Tues. 16	.....	5 23	6 38	6 47m	0 44m
				6 18 a	0 48 a
Wed. 17	Municipal Standing Committee, 3 p.m.	5 23	6 38	8 2m	1 24m
				7 13 a	1 25 a
Thurs 18	.....	5 23	6 38	8 57m	2 2m
				8 [illegible] a	2 [illegible] a
Fri. 19	Departure of the English Mail per s. s. Thames.	5 23	6 38	9 42m	2 40m
				9 5 a	2 15 a

* Left Aden on Tuesday at 2 p.m.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Sorosis Meeting, 4 p.m.
The Gun Club meet at Love Grove, Worli, 4-30 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived on the 11th:—Bombay (s), from London. Yesterday:—Kt. of St. George (s), from Marseilles; Pemba (s), Persian Gulf; Michigan (s), Jedda; Langstone (s), Leghorn; and Khalif (s), Port Said.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Assam (s), for Aden; Nyanza (s), Zanzibar; Chilka (s), Rangoon, &c.; and Eden Bridge (s), Havre.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s.s. Satara entered, and the s.s. Cambria left the dock yesterday.

VICTORIA DOCK.—The s.s. Knight of St. George and Bombay entered, and the s.s. Kirby Hall, Bishopsgate, Mameluke, and Nyanza left the dock yesterday.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.—There will be a practice game this evening for the Rovers' Football Club, at 5-30 p.m., on the Cooperage.

THEOSOPHICAL LECTURE.—A paper on "Dr. Buck on Theosophy" will be read to-morrow, at the hall of the Theosphical Society, at 5-30 p.m.

DR. DA GAMA.—The *Anglo-Lusitano* presents its subscribers with a well-got-up portrait of Dr. J. A. da Gama, which is accompanied by a biographical notice.

MANOCKJEE NUSSERWANJEE PETIT CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total number of patients treated during the last month was 5,223; daily average 168; and total of new patients 910.

MR. DAWOODBHAI MOOSABHAI.—A general meeting will be held in the bungalow of Mr. Haji Aga Abdul Hossein Shirazi, Nesbit Lane, Byculla, to-morrow, to congratulate Mr. Dawoodbhai Moosabhai on his appointment as a J. P.

REPORTED THEFT.—A Hindu woman, named Ruckmi, living on the first storey of a house on Duncan Road, has reported to the police the theft of three gold ornaments, valued at Rs. 218, from a box in her room, on Wednesday last.

AN INSANE BORA MISSING.—Hymuth Ali Dawood, residing at Bapoo Hajam Moholla, reported that his nephew, Jooma Ismail, aged 20, who has not been in a sound state of mind for the last nine months, has been missing since the 4th inst.

A MAHOMEDAN LEPER.—A Mahomedan leper, named Shaik Moidin Cassum, aged 35 years, was found lying on the footpath of the Falkland Road on Thursday last, and was removed by the police to the Leper Asylum at Matoonga.

A LOST WIFE.—Dagroo Raojee, a labourer, living at Oomerkhadi, reports to the police that his wife, named Kashee, aged 11 years, left home on Thursday, to go to her work in a godown at Doougri, and has since been missing.

A WOMAN ROBBED WHILE ASLEEP.—Baloo Vittoo, residing on the ground-floor of a house at Kamatipura, reports that on Thursday night, whilst his wife, he, and his three relatives were lying asleep in the open-air some one took off his wife's neck a gold ornament, valued at Rs. 45, and decamped.

REPORTED BURGLARY.—Roto Sumtajee, a peon, in the service of the Bombay Port Trust, living at Agripada, Byculla, has reported to the police that his house was broken into during his absence on the night of Thursday last and a cash-box, containing gold and silver ornaments and cash of the collective value of Rs. 524, stolen from a cupboard, which was apparently opened with a duplicate key.

A MIDNIGHT VISITOR.—Gunput Essoo was yesterday placed before the Third Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Courts, on a charge of theft of thirteen annas and six pies. Sheriar Adaseer, the complainant, a *sherbet* vendor in Abdool Rehman Street, deposed that the prisoner roused him on Thursday night by the noise he made when taking the money out of a till. After seizing him he awoke his wife and sent her for a policeman, who took the thief into custody. Four previous convictions were proved against Gunput who was sentenced to undergo hard labour for two years.

A SHOCKING ACCIDENT.—An inquest was held yesterday morning by Dr. Blaney, the Coroner, at Mooghbhat, touching, the death of a Hindu lad, named Narayen Mahadu, aged 8 years. At 4 p.m., on Thursday evening, whilst the deceased and other school-boys were turning round for amusement an iron-wheel, which was resting against a wall of stones piled in the compound, the wheel fell over on the deceased. The boy was picked up and sent to his house, where he died in an hour from the injuries. The jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

MORE BRITISH TROOPS REQUIRED IN KATHIAWAR.—It is understood, writes the *Kathiawar Times*, that after the disbandment, of the 24th Regiment N. I., at present located here, only a wing of a Native Infantry will form the entire garrison. We do not know how far this is correct; but should it be so, it will be, we are afraid, a very short-sighted policy on the part of the military authorities to remove from here what little garrison we have. With the instance of Manipur fresh before us it is very necessary that we should keep ourselves wide-awake. We strongly object to the removal of troops from here; but, on the contrary, earnestly recommend Government to strengthen the garrison both by Cavalry and Infantry as much as possible, for Rajkote is the head-quarters of the Kathiawar Agency and is the most Central Station. The Political Agent should point out to the Government the necessity for strengthening the garrison. To remove the garrison from here on the score of economy or as a stroke of diplomatic policy will be, we fear, a most misguided act. We do not think the present garrison is adequate. It must be strengthened.

ILLICIT SALE OF LIQUOR.—At the Girgaum Police Court yesterday, Mr. E. L. Critchell, an Abkari Inspector, charged Cooverbai, a Parsee widow, before Mr. W. R. Hamilton, Second Presidency Magistrate, with selling country-liquor without a license from the Collector of Customs. The accused had been in the habit of selling *tenora* liquor without obtaining a license for the same from the Customs authority. About 8 o'clock on Tuesday night, Inspector Critchell, accompanied by Mr. Steers, an Abkari Inspector, and Inspector McCormack, of the local police, proceeded to the Parsee widow's house at Parel Road, and the Abkari inspectors, in the presence of Mr. McCormack marking two four-anna pieces, handed them over to Sitaram Keshow, a sub-inspector, and a peon, named Dhondu, and asked them to go and purchase some *tenora* liquor from the widow's shop. The two men, according to their superior's order went to the shop and, purchasing the liquor, sat in the shop to drink the same. In the meantime the Inspectors entered the shop, and on searching the cash-box, found the two marked four-anna pieces. The Magistrate convicted the accused Cooverbai, and sentenced her to pay a fine of Rs. 50 and ordered the bottle of liquor seized to be sent to the Collector of Customs.

MARRIAGE REFORM AMONGST THE SHENVI BRAHMINS.—The *Dnyan Prakash*, of Poona, commenting upon last Sunday's meeting of the Shenvi Brahmins, says:—"We believe it was a wrong move on the part of the representatives of the orthodox party in the Shenvi community to have tried their strength with the reform party. They ought to have known that the spirit of the times was against them, and that it was too late in the day to think of boycotting people for acting according to the dictates of their conscience, especially in reference to a question regarding which it is admitted that no specific texts exist in the Shastras prohibiting the practice complained against. The natural inference to be drawn from such an admission is that the old Hindu law-givers must have intended that a wide latitude should be left to each individual member to act according to his own conscience and the altered requirements of the time being. The Reform Party ought, we are inclined to think, to thank Mr. Baburao Ramchandra for having afforded them this opportunity of testing their own strength against that of their opponents, and of thereby proving to the world at large, that the days of unreasoning orthodoxy and bigotry are numbered, and that ere long it may be expected to be a thing of the past. We believe this observation is more or less applicable to all sections of the Hindu community.

SERIOUS ASSAULT ON A MAHOMEDAN.—At the Girgaum Police Court yesterday, Constable Parker charged Bachchhan Kasumkhan and Shaik Abdulla Bachoobhoy, before Mr. W. R. Hamilton, Second Presidency Magistrate, with having seriously assaulted Kassam Ismail on Tuesday, the 9th inst. The two accused and the complainant lived in one chawl on Duncan Road. The first accused had in his keeping a Mahomedan woman, who left him four or five weeks ago, and went to live with a relation of the complainant. The accused requested the complainant to prevail upon the woman to return to him, but as the latter gave no heed to what the accused said, he (accused) suspected that the complainant was on terms of intimacy with the woman, and that he had induced her to leave him. On the day in question he hired the second accused and another Mahomedan to assault the complainant on the evening of Tuesday last. They met him at Cameteepura, and asked him to accompany them to a toddy-shop. He, complied with their request and on a given signal from

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The DIRECTORY has been carefully enlarged, verified and revised up to the day of going to Press. Valuable information has been added, and special care has been taken that the local information shall meet the wants of commercial men and the general public.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE British s s Eden Bridge, 1,657 tons, Captain J W Morttaman, cleared yesterday for Havre, with a General cargo.

THE B I S N Co's s s Chilka, Captain H L Parsons, cleared yesterday for Rangoon and Moulmein via Calcutta, with a general cargo.

THE British s s Khalif, 1,475 tons, Captain T Pole, arrived in harbour yesterday from Port Said, in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Killick, Nixon and Co.

THE British s s Michigan, 1,932 tons, Captain W Denning, arrived in harbour yesterday from Jedda, in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Boyts, Craig and Co.

THE British s s Longstone, 1,515 tons, Captain W G Thompson, arrived in harbour yesterday from Leghorn, in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs W and A Graham and Co.

THE British, s.s. Kt. of St. George, 2,999 tons, Captain John Bevis, arrived in harbour yesterday from Marseilles, in ballast. The vessel is consigned to Messrs Killick, Nixon and Co.

THE Sultan of Zanzibar's s s Nyanza, 1,421 tons, Captain M Simons, sailed yesterday for Zanzibar, with a general cargo and the following passengers:—Mr Rottonjee, Mrs Gulamali Caderbhoy, Mr and Mrs Sorabjee Maneckjee and two children, Mr Nazer Visram, Mr Mahamed Hassum, Mr Abdoola and 200 deck.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steam-ship Pemba, 986 tons, Captain W Masson, arrived in harbour yesterday from the Persian Gulf via Karachi, with a general cargo, 19 chests opium and the following passengers:—The Hon Mr Oodharam Mulchand, Mr M Oodharm, Mr R J Wood, Mr Khursetjee, Mr Luddeck, Mr Mahomed Banker and 110 deck.

EXTRA STEAMER FROM LONDON.

THE P. & O. Co's. s.s. Bombay, 2,047 tons, Captain S Bason, arrived in harbour on Thursday evening from London via Aden, with a general cargo.

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—JUNE 12.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Tons.	Captains.	Sheds.	Company or Agents.
S.S. Cambria	1257	Miller	A	P Morrison
„ S. Radcliffe	1415	Thomas	D	W & A Graham & Co
Oy. of Dundee	3612	Halley	E	Sir O Forbes & Co
I G S Magdala			G	Indian Marine
S.S. Castle Eden	1555	Shadwick	H J	W & A Graham & Co
„ B T Robson	1196	Tindale	L	W & A Graham & Co
Ship S. Joskin	1007	Nalcolm	N	H A H Hasseum & Co
S.S. Bedouin	1234	Goldsworthy	O	K Nixon & Co
„ Eden Bridge	1651	Mortaman	P	P Morrison
„ Clifford Tower	1290	Dodd	Q	H Craig & Co
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„ Poonani		Nacoda		Shepherd & Co.
„ Krishna		do.		do.

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VICTORIA DOCK.

			No.	
S.S. Bohemia	2000	Mackay	1	W & A Graham & Co
„ Persia	2317	Hutchison	2	W & A Graham & Co
„ D. Baldwino	3044	Cruciani	3	F Bozzoni
„ Bishopsgate	1465	Watt	4	J Mackintosh & Co
„ Telhercio	1948	Hall	5	P & O S N Co
„ Mameluke	1702	Gill	6	K Nixon & Co
„ Poseidon	2570	Lemesich	7	A-H Lloyd's s N Co
„ Lycia	2116	Jones	8	K Nixon & Co
„ Niagara	1781	McConochi	9	K Nixon & Co
„ Rogai	1502	Hinkins	10	W & A Graham & Co
„ Accomac	1629	Chambers	11	Captain.
„ Bretwalda	1002	Hunter	15	J Mackintosh &Co
„ Lincolnshire	1741	Burgess	15	R. Bomanji.
„ Nyanza	1421	Simon	16	Allana Munji

ARRIVALS.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	From.
11	Bombay (s)	Bason	London, May 16.
12	Kt. of St. George (s)	Bevis	Marseilles.
	Pemba (s)	Masson	Persian Gulf.
	Michigan (s)	Denning	Jedda.
	Longstone (s)	Thompson	Leghorn.
	Khalif (s)	Pole	Port Said.

DEPARTURES.

June.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
12	Assam (s)	Webber	Aden.
	Nyanza (s)	Simons	Zanzibar.
	Chilka (s)	Parsons	Rangoon, &c.
	Eden Bridge (s)	Mortaman	Havre.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Steamer Bombay for China, &c.
„ Kt of St George for Antwerp.
„ Michigan for Marseilles, Jedda and Hodeida.
„ Khalif for Dunkirk.
„ Longstone for Hull.
„ Nawab for coast and Calcutta.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.
June.
8 Ramore Head s ..McCalmont..Cardiff, April 21.
Kohinur s .....Wright .....Rangoon, May 30.

DEPARTURES.
June 8.—Steamers Java and Niemen, and ship Palgrave.

KURRACHEE.

ARRIVALS.
June
1 Arabia s .....Skinner .....Persian Gulf.
2 Lycia s .....Jones .....Liverpool.
Kapurthala s ..Rothwell .....Bombay via C Coast.
3 Assyria s .....Vallor .....Bombay.
5 Rheinfels s .....Weber .....Hamburg and Antwerp
Karagola s .....Tice .....Bombay.
6 Lisburg s .....Robinson .....West Hartlepool.
Ebro s .....Morgan .....Hull.
8 Pemba s .....Masson .....Persian Gulf.

DEPARTURES.
June.
3 G Fleece, ship ..Way .....False Point.
Gutenfels s .....Thormann .....Hamburg.
Arabia s .....Skinner .....Bombay.
Kapurthala s .....Rothwell .....Bombay.
4 Assyria s .....Nailor .....Persian Gulf.
Lycia s .....Jones .....Bombay.
6 Karagola s .....Tice .....Bombay.
Princess Wilch
Mania, ship ..Macdondorf ..False Point.

VESSELS IN HARBOUR.
Steamer Rheinfels, Weber, Denham Co., for Bombay.
„ Lisburg, Robinson, Ralli Brothers, Antwerp.
„ Ebro, Morgan, Finlay Muir & Co., for Bombay.
„ Pemba, Masson, McIver, Mackenzie & Co., for Bombay.

DAILY IMPORTS.—JUNE 12.

FROM GLASGOW.
City of Dundee s—30 cases ginger-wine, Treacher and Co; 89 packages writing papers, S A S Dawood; 29 cases sulphuric acid, Treacher and Co.
Persia s—1 hogshead sherry wine, The Secretary, Bo Yacht Club.

FROM LIVERPOOL.
Lycia s—100 cases school slates, A H Heptoolabhoy; 100 bottles Spanish quicksilver, The Bombay and Co; 500 bales bar soap, A Shaikadum; 32 casks spindle-oil, V Pregjee.

FROM LONDON.
Pekin s—79 cases medicines, John A Kirkbride.
Thames s—9 bottles quicksilver, K Bacojamgam.
Peninsular s—8 cases cheese, B Khan Mahomed.

FROM TRIESTE.
Poseidon s—51 peakages printing and writing papers, S A S Dawood.

FROM ANTWERP.
Lycia s—33 cases window glass, M Goolamally; 50 cases stationery, A Shaikadum.
Pekin s—58 cases aniline dye, C Ramjee 5 cases medicine, T Akbarally.

FROM NEW YORK.
Rufford Hall s—17 cases clocks, H Osman Tar Mahomed.

FROM CHARENTE.
Rufford Hall s—50 cases brandy, Cowasjee Brothers.

FROM BORDEAUX.
La Seyne s—15 cases brandy, Pallonjee Pestonjee.

FROM GENOA.
D Balduino s—25 cases vermouth, Treacher and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—JUNE 12.

FOR LIVERPOOL.
City of Dundee s—2,000 cwts wheat, H Govindjee; 6,000 cwts wheat, Ewart Latham and Co; 110 bales cotton, and 220½ cwts linseed, Robertson Bros; 100 bales cotton, Thomas H Moore and Co.

FOR LONDON.
Assam s—21 cwts ivory, M Pregjee; 5½ cwts ivory, M Moosa; 9½ cwts ivory, C Alloobhoy; 11 cwts ivory, Ebram Passiano and Co.

FOR HAVRE.
Eden Bridge s—10,000 cwts wheat, Sanday and Co; 4,000 cwts wheat, Lyon and Co.
Kt Commander s—13,300 cwts wheat and 3,012 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Brothers.
Arabian Prince s—10,000 cwts wheat, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR DUNKIRK.
Sarah Radcliffe s—3,000 cwts wheat, Stark Winkler and Go.
Khalif s—20,000 cwts wheat, Killick Nixon and Co; 8,000 cwts wheat, Lyon and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.
Lycia s—100 bales cotton, Gindi and Co; 4,000 cwts poppyseed, 1,140 cwts groundnuts, and 9,161 cwts rapeseed, Ralli Brothers.
Kt Errand s—2,250 cwts wheat, John Fachiri.
Kt of St George s—11,000 cwts wheat, and 4,002 cwts linseed, Killick Nixon and Co; 21,006 cwts wheat, 3,989 cwts poppyseed, and 3,999 cwts groundnuts, E D Sassoon and Co; 2,001 cwts linseed, D P Batha and Co; 2,000 cwts wheat, Abdoollaly Mahomed and Co; 1000 bales cotton, and 4,000 cwts wheat, Ernamaseen and Co; 19,000 cwts wheat, David Sassoon and Co; 2,000 cwts wheat, Dharsee Nanjee and Co; 8,000 cwts wheat, Tyabjee and Co; 300 bales cotton, A S Mocetellan and Co; 8,000 cwts wheat, and 4,002 cwts rapeseed, J C Bushby and Co; 4,000 cwts wheat, 60,001½ cwts rapeseed and 2,001 cwts linseed, Lyon and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.
Persia s—4,883 cwts groundnuts, Ralli Brothers.
Michigan s—27,100 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.
Bohemia s—1,851 cwts groundnuts, and 6,127½ cwts castorseed, F L Batliboi and Co; 400 cwts wheat, W and A Graham and Co.
Regal s—4,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.
Bedouin s—2,000 cwts wheat, Killick Nixon and Co; 5,474 cwts wheat, John Fachiri; 3,800 cwts teaseed, 3,000 cwts wheat and 2,036 cwts castorseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GENOA.
Bretwalda s—8,000 cwts wheat, David Sassoon and Co; 100 bales cotton, Thos H Moore and Co.

FOR TRIESTE.
Poseidon s—440 bales cotton, The Bombay Co; 98 bales cotton Volkart Brothers; 220 bales cotton, George Lockhart and Co.

FOR NAPLES.
D Balduino s—900 bales cotton, Gaddum Bythell and Co.

FOR VENICE.
Poseidon s—100 bales cotton, Gaddum Bythell and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.
Teheran s—136 bales cotton, M Hirjee Elliae; 297 bales cotton, K Heermookrai; 300 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co; 200 bales twist, Cursetjee Manjee Sands and Co; 52 bales twist, Cursetjee Bomonjee and Co; 350 bales twist, J Peerbhoy and Co.
Bombay s—75 bales twist, Ebrahim Noordin and Co; 225 bales twist, C Bomonjee and Co; 150 bales twist, Tata and Co; 20 bales twist, The Presidency Mills; 75 bales twist, The Jamshed Mills; 100 bales twist, Khatau Makanjee S and W Co; 25 bales twist, The Bombay United S and W Co; 55 bales twist, N J Sassoon; 700 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co; 300 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co; 278 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram; 400 bales twist Sorabjee N Talati and Co; 100 bales twist, Tata and Sons; 34 cwts horns, M H Esaac Elliae; 70 bales twist, Framjee Sands and Co; 25 casks lubricating oil, The Vacuum Oil Co; 551 cwts bysoboie, Yee Lun Ching; 50 bales twist, D P Mooljee and Co; 500 bales twist, E D Sassoon and Co; 100 bales twist, D P Marker.

FOR SHANGHAI.
Bombay s—324 bales twist, Ebrahim Noordin and Co; 380 bales twist, Cursetjee Bomonjee and Co; 100 bales twist, Sassoon J. David and Co; 200 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co; 320 bales twist, Killick Nixon and Co; 30 bales twist, The United S and M Co; 148 bales twist, M Hormusjee; 101 bales twist, Jeena Kooka; 50 bales twist, Framjee Sands; 100 bales twist, Cowasjee Brothers; 50 bales twist, T D Mooljee and Co.

FOR KOBE.
Bombay s—300 bales cotton, Ruttonjee Rowjee and Co; 2,000 bales cotton, Tata and Co.
Teheran s—100 bales twist, Finlay Muir and Co; 220 bales cotton, Ruttonjee Rowjee and Co; 913 bales cotton, Dinshaw D Currance and Co; 2,500 bales cotton, Tata and Co; 50 bales twist, The Alliance M Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.
Teheran s—51 bales cotton, Dinshaw D Currance and Co.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, JUNE 12.

CONSOLS were ¼ per cent. higher in London yesterday at 95½; and French Rentes in Paris advanced ¼ per cent., say to 95¾. Bar Silver was unaltered in London at 44 9-16d. per oz.; but Rupee Securities were ¼ per cent. higher in each denomination, at £75 for Fours, and 76⅝ for 4½ per cents.; while in New York the metal was ¼ cent. lower, at 97½ cents, with demand Exchange unchanged at 487½ dollars. The Indian Council placed 5 lakhs of extra Bills on Calcutta, at 1s. 4½d., this rate showing an advance of 1-16d. on Wednesday's regular allotment rate, and of 1-32d. on that of the extra Bills sold on the same day. The Exchange Bank's buying rate on India, at thirty days' sight, remained at 1s. 4⅜d. Paris Exchange on London was 1½ centime higher, at fcs. 25·34.

The Bank of England Weekly Returns showed a further increase of two per cent. in the Reserve, making it stand at 46 per cent., of the Liabilities. The Bank rate remained at 4 per cent.; and the market rates of discount at 2⅜ per cent., both for short London Bills and six months' sight Indian Bank Paper. About £350,000 in Gold was paid into the Bank yesterday.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed quiet, all round, last evening, with Mid-Americans at Wednesday's reduced quotation of 4⅜d.; and Broach, Dhollera, and Oomrawuttee, in Surats, showing no further change, excepting Good Khandeish, which was 1-16d. lower. American Arrivals, however, were 1-64d. lower for June to July-August deliveries, and 1-32d. down in the more distant positions, the extreme quotations being 4 31-64d. for June, and 4 47-64d. for October-November. The total Sales aggregated 10,000 bales, of which 800 were Surats. The day's imports were 9,000 bales. In the Manchester Market there was rather more enquiry.

A further decline of 1-16 cent took place in ready Mid.-Uplands in New York yesterday at 8⅜ cents, in view of the more favourable tenor of the Washington Bureau report than was expected; but beyond the drop of 12 points in September Futures on Wednesday, there was no change in the forward rate, 8·63 cents being still quoted. The Receipts at the U. S. Ports yesterday were 5,000 bales; and the total figures for the season now give the following comparison with those of the preceding two years:—

	1891.	1890.	1889.
Tuesday's Receipts	5,000	1,500	900
Five days' do.	22,000	4,200	3,700
Since 1st Sept. '90,	6,776,000	5,722,100	5,474,700

There has been rather more buying by spinners in our local Cotton market to-day; but on the whole, only a moderate business has transpired, while the tone of the market has been quiet, with prices unchanged. The 1,750 bales taken by the Mills consisted of 300 bales each of Khangaum, at Rs. 155; Julgaum, at Rs. 154; and Challisgaum, at Rs. 146; 250 Barsee, at Rs. 176; 200 Bhownugger, at Rs. 146; and 100 bales each of Broach, at Rs. 176; Akola Ginned, at Rs. 156; Sheegaum, at Rs. 150; and Oojein, at Rs. 143. For export only 250 Dharwar, at Rs. 166-72; and 200 Bengals, at Rs. 154 per candy were purchased.

WHEAT has remained steady in tone at previous quotations for all descriptions; but fresh transactions have been upon only a moderate scale.

SEEDS also have been in but moderate demand by shippers, and *Linseed* has given way half an anna per cwt., being quoted at Rs. 6-8-0 to Rs. 6-11-0 per cwt.; but other descriptions are steady and unchanged at our last quotations.

The Receipts of Produce into Bombay yesterday were as follows:—

Cotton	4,696 bales.
Wheat	83,480 cwt.
Linseed	18,378 „
Rapeseed	2,971 „
Gingelly	1,509 „
Poppyseed	2,016 „
Groundnuts	697 „
Castorseed	2,123 „

FREIGHTS are firmer, but with not much demand, and Mediterranean tonnage is still neglected. Business has been done in June shipment to Continental ports at 22s. 6d.; and to Liverpool at 21s. 3d. per ton.

EXCHANGE has been steady in tone all day, with rates unaltered, but with very little business passing in either direction, forward quotations being the same as yesterday. We quote ready:—

Bank Bills on Demand	1s. 4 27-32d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 4 25-32d.	„
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 4 31-32d.	„
Credits do.	1s. 5 3-32d.	„
Francs do.	1·804	„

GOVERNMENT PAPER has been quiet as to business; but a further advance in rates for Fours has taken place, 106 13-16 having been quoted for cash; 106⅜ for the coming settlement; and 106 7-16 for the July Account; and at closing another 1-16 per cent. higher was named, with buyers for Money at the advance. 107¼ is the nominal price for 4½ per Cents.

SHARES.—There has been rather more movement in Mill Scrip to-day, and an advance has been established in several cases at our quotations; otherwise the market has continued very quiet at previous rates. Bombay-Burma Trading, first issue, have advanced Rs. 15. Kemp and Co. Rs. 7 higher.

FOREIGN TELEGRAPHIC SERVICE.

LATEST dates of foreign messages received at Bombay from the United Kingdom during the 24 hours ending at 8 p.m. of the 12th June, 1891.

(Difference in longitude allowed for.)

Via.	Latest Date. D.	H.	M.	Time occupied in transmission. Hours.	Minutes.
Turkey	12	11	5 a.m.	3	29
Teheran	12	1	50 p.m.	4	58
Suez	12	2	30 p.m.	5	9

Time occupied in the transmission of messages to Bombay during the 24 hours ending 8 p.m. on 12th June, 1891.

	Minimum Time. H.	M.	Minimum. H.	M.
From Calcutta	..	57	..	1
„ Kurrachee	..	13	..	1
„ Madras	..	34	..	1

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORTS.

JUNE 12.
STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.
CONTINENT OF EUROPE.—Via Teheran, perfect. Via Turkey, perfect. Via Suez, perfect.
AMERICA.—Via Brest, perfect. Via Valentia, perfect. Via Direct Cable, perfect.
AUSTRALIA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
CHINA.—Via Penang, perfect. Via Amoor, perfect.
Telegrams for the Argentine Republic and beyond can be accepted only via Galveston.
Telegrams in code language can be accepted for Iquique in Chili at the risk of senders.
Telegrams can be accepted for the following places in Chili:—Chanaral, Taltal, Huanillos, Tocopilla and Pisagua.
Telegrams can be sent to Arica, Tacua, and Antofa Gusta at the same rate as Iquique.
Telegrams for Caldera and Copiapo in Chili can be accepted at senfer's risk.
Moulmein route to Siam right.

DIVINE SERVICES.

THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, 14TH JUNE, 1891.

ST. THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.
7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion—(Choral) Tours in C.—Hymns 4, 317 and 184.
4-45 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon—Hymns 282, 266 and 19.
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.—Lloyd in G.
Daily Matins at 6-45 a.m., and Evensong at 5-15 p.m.
Tuesday and Thursday—Celebration at 7-15 a.m.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.
7-30 a.m.—Matins and Holy Communion.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, COLABA.
(Afghan Memorial Church.)
7 a.m.—Choral, Matins and Sermon, (Parade Service).—Hymns 163, 176 and 184.
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TELEGRAMS.

MR. JUSTICE FARRAN'S APPOINTMENT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, JUNE 12.

The appointment of Mr. Justice Farran to the Bombay High Court Bench has been definitely made this week.

It was strongly supported by the Bombay Government, as well as by the Government of India, when it was known that the appointment of a lawyer from home, who had rendered services to the Conservative party, was under consideration.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

BARING BROTHER'S LIQUIDATION.

LONDON, JUNE 12.

A statement issued by the Bank of England to the guarantors relative to the liquidation of Messrs. Baring Brothers says that after allowing for a large depreciation in the value of the securities held there remains a balance in assets of £1,500,000. It is not intended however to reduce the liability of the guarantors.

THE HYGIENE CONGRESS.

Mr. J. A. Godley, Permanent Under-Secretary at the India Office, and Sir Albert Sassoon, have joined the International Congress on Hygiene and Demography.

THE INDIAN CIVIL SERVICE.

Sir John Gorst, replying to a question in the House of Commons yesterday, said that the recommendations of the Select Committee on the Indian Civil Service, which hitherto had not been executed were still under consideration.

THE RIOTS IN CHINA.

In the House of Commons last night, the Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, replying to a question on the subject of the Anti-European riots in China, said the Government had only been informed of the murder of the Wesleyan Missionary and the Customs Officer at Wusuch.

The Consuls, he said, had not hitherto asked for naval assistance.

LATER.

Advices received from Shanghai to-day state that the property of the Catholic and Protestant missions at Wuchen on the Fayang Lake has been destroyed by the natives by fire.

Rioting has broken out at Takutang where the troops have joined the rioters.

THE AFRICAN CONVENTION.

Lord Salisbury, in laying before the House of Lords yesterday the new Convention with Portugal relating to Africa, said that by its terms the British sphere of influence was largely increased in Manicaland and on the right bank of the Shire. It also provides for the extension of Portuguese territory to the north of the Zambesi.

The Convention, his Lordship added, was dictated with a sincere desire for amity with Portugal.

ERUPTION OF MOUNT VESUVIUS.

NAPLES, JUNE 11.

Mount Vesuvius is in a state of eruption and constant earthquakes are being felt in the vicinity.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, JUNE 12.

The death is announced of General Sir Archibald Little.

THE MAILS.

SUEZ, JUNE 12.

The P. & O. Company's s. s. Ballaarat, with the incoming mails of the 5th June, left here for Aden at midnight yesterday.

ADEN, JUNE 12.

The P. & O. Company's s. s. Bokhara, with the homeward mails of the 5th instant, arrived here at 5 a.m. to-day.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, JUNE 12.

H. E. the Commander-in-Chief has been pleased to make the following appointments in to-day's Army Orders :—

Major J. Grant, Second-in-Command, 17th Bombay Infantry, to be Commandant, 4th Regiment 1st Battalion Rifle Regiment, *vice* Lieutenant-Colonel J. T. Watling, appointed to the Staff.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. Moore, Second-in-Command, 24th Bombay Infantry, to be Second-in-Command, 17th Bombay Infantry, *vice* Major J. Grant, transferred.

Lieutenant W. H. Errington, Wing Officer, officiating Quarter-Master, to be Quarter-Master, with effect from 18th May, 1891, *vice* Captain Montgomery, 1st Grenadiers, vacated his appointment on promotion.

With reference to G. O. G. No. 303 of 8th June, 1891, Lieutenant-Colonel Watling, Assistant Adjutant General, has been posted to the Sind District.

With reference to G. O. G. No. 313 of 10th June, Major A. B. Stopford, Royal Artillery, Assistant Adjutant General, has been posted to the Poona District.

Lieutenant J. G. Westropp, Wing Officer, officiating Second-in-Command, Kolhapur Infantry, and Assistant to the Political Agent at Kolhapur, is seconded in his Regiment, 14th Bombay Infantry, under the provisions of Article 275, Army Regulations, India, Volume I, Part I.

Under instructions from Horse Guards War Office, it is intimated that Major G. C. Wynne has been posted to No. 5 Battery, Southern Division, Royal Artillery.

Second-Lieutenant R. E. F. Wemyss, recently commissioned from the Military Artillery, has been posted to No. 53 Field Battery, Royal Artillery.

The undermentioned have been reported to have passed the required examination in Hindustani according to the higher standard test :—Colonel E. Carrington, Deputy Quarter-master General ; and Lieutenant C. E. Forester Walker, Royal Artillery, No. 5 Mountain Battery.

The undermentioned officers have been granted leave of absence :—Lieutenant T. Marshall, Royal Dublin Fusiliers, to England, for six months ; Honorary Chaplain Rev. Corfield, G. I. P. Volunteer Corps, to England, for one year ; and Surgeon Major F. Lyons, to England, for six months.

MAJOR GRANT'S DEPARTURE FOR OOTACAMUND.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, JUNE 12.

Major Grant, V.C., arrived at Madras, by steamer, from Rangoon, yesterday, and left Madras for Ootacamund this evening. In the course of an interview I had with him this afternoon, he spoke of his appreciation of the kindness of the people of Pakoko and the members of the Rangoon Club, who had noticed him on his way through. He spoke in enthusiastic terms of the conduct of the men who fought under him. His wounds are getting well, and he hopes to be quite himself again after a few weeks on the Nilgiris.

THE TRIAL OF THE REGENT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, JUNE 12.

In continuation of the Regent's trial, the seventh witness for the prosecution of the Regent, Kalhandra Singh, repeated the evidence given by him at the trial of the Jubraj, and also stated that the distance from the top-guard to the citadel gate was 23 yards, and from the citadel gate to the Royal Palace 41 yards, thus showing how near the Regent must have been to the place of execution.

The eighth witness, Captain Butcher, of the 42nd Goorkhas, stated that a gun was fired from the citadel on his party, commencing about an hour after he assaulted the Jubraj's enclosure on the morning of the 24th March, and continuing to fire until 3 p.m. Witness saw mounted men riding across the country to the villages on the line of the retreat to Silchar. The villagers immediately turned out and fired on the British troops.

The ninth witness, Lieutenant Chatterton, of the 42nd Goorkhas, stated that after the "cease fire" had sounded on the evening of the 24th March, the Regent wrote, in reply to a letter sent him by Mr. Quinton, that he had no one in the palace who understood English, but he understood we wished to stop fighting. The Regent's letter said he had no desire to fight the Queen's troops, and had only fought in self-defence, and would stop fighting if we surrendered our arms and accoutrements. The rest of the evidence given by this witness was communicated in the telegram on the Jubraj's trial.

In cross-examination by the representative of the accused, the witness said that Mr. Grimwood, on seeing the Regent's letter, said it was written or signed by the prisoner. Probably it was signed, the signature being a heavy blotch different from the rest of the letter. The seal was on the top of the letter in the ordinary form. The letter was written in Bengali. Four Manipuri sepoys were shot down when witness captured the West Gate on the 24th of March. They were running away. Had they remained with the remainder of the Manipuris in the West Gate, they would have been simply taken prisoners.

The prisoner was then charged, first, with waging war against the Queen ; and, second, with abetting the murder of Mr. Quinton's party ; to which charges he pleaded not guilty.

THE ZHOB VALLEY RAILWAY.

Major B. Scott, Engineer-in-Chief, Zhob Valley Railway Survey, has arrived to personally report on the progress made during the past working season.

THE NAGA TRIBESMEN.

News from Chalt states that the Naga tribesmen had shown no desire to attack the troops under Lieutenant-Colonel Durand who was still holding the position originally taken up.

TROOPS FOR THE CASHMERE DEFENCE.

The force for the protection of the north-west territory of Cashmere at present is one Mountain Battery of four seven-pounder guns, and the 1st and 2nd Regiments of Infantry, each numbering six hundred bayonets.

GAZETTE OF INDIA NOTIFICATIONS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, JUNE 12.

Home Department.—The services of Surgeon-Major Mookerjee and Surgeon Lewes have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Burma. Surgeon-Major Dalzell officiates as Chief Medical Officer, Burma, *vice* Surgeon-Major Sinclair, on furlough. The services of Lieutenant Daniell, 4th Bengal Infantry, have been placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner, Burma, for employment in the Upper Burma, Military Police.

Foreign Department.—Surgeon Manifold, Western Malwa Political Agency, has been granted ninety days' privilege leave. The services of Mr. Croudace, lately employed in the Jeypore State, have been replaced at the disposal of the Public Works Ddepartment.

The extract from the *London Gazette* of March 9 says that the Treaty between England and Portugal respecting Indian possessions terminates on the 14th January, 1892. The Extradition Treaty will terminate on the same date.

Finance Department—Mr. Crawley, Assistant Accountant-General, Bengal, has been granted privilege leave for three months.

Public Works Department—Mr. Orchard, first-grade Executive Engineer, has been permitted to retire from the service.

Telegraphs.—Mr. Laughlin, Superintendent, second grade, Indian Telegraphs, has been permitted to retire from the service. Mr. F. Townsend officiates as commander, and Mr. O'Mally as first officer, Government Telegraph ship Patrick Stewart. Mr. Possmann officiates as Director of the Persian Gulf section of the Indo-European Telegraphs ; Mr. Lealy as engineer and electrician ; Mr. Harrison as traffic manager, Mr. New as superintendent; and Messrs. MacMullen and Mr. Nash as assistant superintendents.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LIVERPOOL, JUNE 11.

The Hall Line steamer Lockley Hall arrived here from Kurachee this morning.

PORT SAID, JUNE 11.

The Hall Line steamer Methley Hall left here yesterday evening.

SUEZ, JUNE 11.

The P. and O. Company's steamer Rohilla arrived here from Colombo this morning.

LONDON, JUNE 11.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Stuart arrived here this evening.

COLOMBO, JUNE 12.

The P. and O. Company's s. s. Thames left here for Bombay at 6 p.m. yesterday.

COMMERCIAL A ND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, JUNE 11.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed quiet.

Surats quiet.

Good Dholleras ..... 3 11-16d.

The Manchester Market has been rather more enquiry.

Exchange on India, 30 days' sight. 1s. 4¾d

2½ per cent. Consols for account.. 95¼

3 per cent. French Rentes..... 95¾

4 per cent. Rupee Paper 75

4½ per cent. „ 76½

3½ per cent. Sterling Loan..... 105¼

Bar Silver 44 9-16

The sum of about £350,000 has been paid into the Bank to-day.

The Bank of England returns for the week ending yesterday show the following results :—Total bullion £27,100,000, increase, £900,000 ; public deposits £6,900,000, increase, £600,000 ; other deposits £33,600,000, increase, £300,000 ; other securities £20,800,000, decrease, £100,000 ; notes and gold, £18,800,000, increase, £1,100,000. The Bank's reserve is 46 per cent. of the liabilities.

The Prussian Government has decided to retain the old Norse marriage laws in Heligoland, and it may be useful for couples desiring to elope to know that the Lutheran clergymen on the island will now join a couple in holy matrimony after residence there of twenty-four hours.

At the opening of the Chalmers' Memorial Church at Anstruther, N.B., Mr. S. Williamson, M.P., read the following letter from Thomas Carlyle to Dr. Hanna in June 1852, which has never been published. Acknowledging receipt of the fourth volume of Chalmers' Memoirs, Carlyle wrote :—

It is not often that the world sees men like Thomas Chalmers, nor can the world afford to forget them, or in its most careless mood be willing to do it. Probably the time is coming when it will be more apparent than it now is to every one that here, intrinsically, was the chief Scottish man of his time—a man possessed of such a massive geniality of intellect and temper as belonged to no other man. What a grand simplicity, broad humour blent so kindly with enthusiastic ardour and blazing insight—a man of such mild, noble valour, strength, and piety—above all things, of such a perfect *veracity*, I have not met with in these times. Honour to him, honour belongs to him and to the essential work he did—an everlasting continuance among the possessions of the world. The sketches of the Free Kirk Disruption in the last volume awaken many sad thoughts in me, now and old. A more obstinately blind misapprehension by all high heads of the matter in hand, a baser desertion of poor old Scotland by all her official sons, was not often witnessed. But we cannot help it : we must take that, too, like so much else, in silence, or speak of it, as you do, in a peaceful historical tone.

VANITY FAIR.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, MAY 21.

It has been the reproach of the poor Briton for so long that he takes his pleasure sadly, that when there is a fitness and a virtue in his melancholy, he does not get full credit for it. After a series of rainy bank holidays that make the Frenchman mutter strange sounding foreign oaths, that wring from the Italian a call for the assistance of the Carpo di Baccho and force the American to swear by his country's Stars and Stripes how deeply aggrieved he is, the poor patient Briton is merely sad—he resigns himself to his fate without adjuring his country's flag or gods to bear witness to his misery. But what a week it has been to try our British phlegm. Snow, hail, rain, wind—a touch of January in mid-May—it is hard under such circumstances to be jocund. And when we are further threatened with the scourge of influenza, there is no parallel for our case in the annals of modern mankind. The only person to whom we can fitly be compared is the miserable man in the Scriptures, at the end of whose biography it is tersely stated that the last state of that man was worse than the first. After a wet bank holiday, the mind and body, clothes and purse of the unfortunate Briton, are in a worse state than the first —and yet we are reproached with taking our pleasure sadly.

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Happily for Londoners there was no scarcity of indoor amusements when *al fresco fetes* became impossible. At the German Exhibition the sons and daughters of the Fatherland played and danced, and dispensed lager beer and sweetness and light in the shape of cakes and German lamps to all who felt disposed to take such things in exchange for coin of the realm. At the Naval Exhibition, Nelson held his own reception in the cockpit of the new old Victory, and blue-jackets swarmed like blue bottles in Midsummer. At the Crystal Palace there was a delightful performance of tamed wild beasts, bears, and tigers, instead of growling and fighting, as Dr. Watts poetically described them, put on the best society manners and rode in a carriage, danced minuets and *pas seuels* like any accomplished ballet girl. The Aquarium—oh strange incongruity—was turned into a flower-show —not such full blown human flowers as Gres of County Council Memory, but the real flowers that bloom in the Spring-tra-la ! or whatever we like to call this compound month of May and December weather, which we have been indulged in lately.

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But of all the diversions nothing was so popular as the theatres and of the theatres none so thronged as the Haymarket. Why or wherefore, it is hard to say—for the dancing girl is not new ; it is not clever ; it is not very lively, and it is neither instructive nor edifying. It is in fact nothing but an apotheosis of pretty dress from beginning to end, every scene being specially arranged to show off the central figure—the dancing girl in her various toilettes. The fascinations of fine clothes being forced into stronger relief by the extreme simplicity of the quaker-costume, worn by the regenerate members of her family. The name of the play, to begin criticism at the beginning, is entirely misleading. The dancing girl does not dance. We are asked to believe that she is a "prima ballerina assoluta," but before the footlights, she only pirouettes a step or two to hint at what she could do, if she had a mind to show her powers. The story, rather long drawn out, in the four acts of Mr. Henry Arthur Jones's version, is the rather old and common—one of a pretty heartless girl, driven by the goody goodness of her quaker relatives from her quiet village home to a life of reckless uncontrol in London. Her fortunes are mixed up with those of her father's landlord, a spendthrift duke, whom she hopes to marry. But marriage does not form a part in the duke's scheme of existence. "Ask me," he says to the girl, "for anything but that—I cannot make you my wife." When the crash comes after income, credit, and friends are exhausted, wishing to repair the injury he has done the girl, he offers to make her a duchess. In his own words, she replies, "Ask me anything but that—I cannot be your wife." After which they separate, he with a wild scheme of suicide, she with the idea of more conquests. An interval of two years passes before he reappears reformed by the watchful sympathy of a lame girl who since her childhood when he inadvertently drove over her and injured her, has taken a romantic interest in his welfare.

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Meanwhile the dancing girl has repented and passed away under the care of a religious sister in an hospital, thus clearing the coast for the fruition of this new attachment. The plot is complicated by other loves than those of the Duke, the dancing girl and the lame devotee a kind of fill-gap sentiment, with which one could easily dispense. An utterly ridiculous society [illegible] woman of the world relieve the dialogue from the heaviness which pervades it owing to the long-winded quaker father, and the prolix quaker-lover. Mr. Beerbohm Tree as the Duke of Glunsberry acted admirably, careless, reckless, but gentlemanly. Mr. Fred Terry as the quaker lover was less successful. He is always Mr. Fred Terry whether he takes the part of soldier, sailor, &c., &c. Miss Rose Leclercq as Lady Hawtrey, the lady of fashion, was most amusing and elegant. The other women folk were elegant, pretty, but most inane, Miss Julia Neilson as the dancing girl being much less fascinating than as plain Drusilla Ines in her quaker costume. The "thee and thou" of the quakers was made rather unintelligible by the extreme grammatical accuracy with which the verbs were made to agree with the nominative case. "Thou knowest well, Drusilla, thou hast heard, thou shalt not do that, &c." suggested the warning of the Ten Commandments more than it did current quaker phraseology, which is anything but strictly grammatical. But a redeeming point throughout the play was its exceeding picturesqueness. If the mind was not altogether satisfied, the eye was pleased, and the ear charmed by pleasant sounds ; the music of the voices was supplemented by the music of the orchestra, which is soft, pleasant, and well chosen. The costumes worn by the dancing girl were exquisite.

One, a soft pink robe with loose sleeves and a train, was banded in at the waist with a broad gold girdle, which would not have commended itself to the National Dress Society, however, much it might charm the irrational male or female mind. The other dress was also pink with trails of drooping roses hanging from the waist and graduated as a kind of flounce round the skirt. It was charming, and made a delightful harmony of colour with the loose white and green lined cloak which was worn with it.

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Though this is almost the close season for publishing, the supply of literature up to date seems unlimited. New spapers, magazines, poems, encyclopædias, fictions, histories, travels, theological, medical, and political works, are as plentiful as swallows in summer. Mr. J. P. O'Connors' newspaper, the *Sunday Sun*, is intended to fill a void which that astute editor perceives in the popular Sunday reading supply. "Nature," we are told, abhors a vacuum, and to Mr. J. P. O'Connor, a literary vacuum is equally intolerable. Hence the creation of the *Sunday Sun* whick unlike our hardworked luminary rises, but one day a week to flood with light the intellects of the civilized world. It is safe to predict that the paper is strong enough to sustain itself whether there is a vacuum for it to fill or not. There are already, it is true, a large number of Sunday papers, whose editors will hardly welcome another as the rising of this new *Sun* possibly will mean to one or other of them the dispersion into space of some overblown literary paper bubble. But it is only the way of the world to forget the old in welcoming the new : Le roi est mort : Vive le roi ! Another new venture is an illustrated weekly for gentlewomen : *Hearth and Home, Myra's Weekly Messenger* which will contain signed articles by leading women, among them the Queen of Roumania, John Strange Winter, Mrs. Talbot Coke, as well as fashions, gardening, art, music, and household management. Price 3d. Mr. Alfred Miles is about to bring out an encyclopædia of modern English poetry in ten volumes, under the title of "The Poets and Poetry of the Century." Volume first, which is already published, consists of selections from poets from Crabbe to Coleridge ; volume sixth, which is also complete, includes William Morris and Robert Buchanan. The second volume, not yet issued, is to cover the ground from Southey to Shelley, and to include among others Laudor, Lamb, Campbell, Moore, Byron, Hunt, Peacock, and Bryan Proctor. The third from Keats to Lord Houghton, the fourth and fifth volumes are not yet definitely announced. One of the great difficulties is in collecting selections of the present day poets as the editor has to face copyright.

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Amongst other books forthcoming two on Browning are announced to appear at once. Mrs. Sutherland Orr's "The Life and Letters," of Robert Browning and Professor Jones's "Browning as a Philosophical and Religious Teacher."

THE *Pall Mall* relates a good story of Toole's Australian tour. It so happened that Sir Charles Halle preceded Mr. Toole at a leading goldfield's centre in Victoria. Mayors of golden cities are very lavish in their hospitalities, and insist on every distinguished visitor quaffing champagne in the town-hall. This particular mayor was more remarkable for his good social qualities than his scholarship, and in proposing the health of the eminent Manchester musician he persistently pronounced the surname of Sir Charles in one syllable—"Hal"—until he was nudged and corrected by a learned alderman. After a few weeks Toole came along that way and the mayor was resolved on not laying himself open to public correction this time. He would be sure of his two syllables with the "accent on," and so our ever-green friend of King William Street found himself pleasantly referred to throughout the mayoral speech as Mr. "Tooley." Some day we may have the sequel in the shape of a lively account from Toole himself of how he felt on this trying occasion.

BIJAPUR.

[BY A VISITOR.]

In a recent article you called attention to the little that has been done to preserve the crumbling buildings of Bassein, and to maintain its deserted streets in something approaching order. The ruins of that celebrated and once magnificent city are choked with scrub and brushwood ; and it is almost impossible for the would-be sightseer to discover where the remains of its stately churches and convents are situated. It is satisfactory to know that the state of things at Bijapur is widely different. On the capture of that city by the Emperor Aurangzeb, in 1686, after it had flourished as the capital of the Adil Shahi dynasty for close on two centuries, it was at once deserted by its population ; and its splendid mosques and palaces speedily fell into the state in which the remains at Bassein now are. When Grant Duff wrote his history of the Mahrattas he stated that the walls of Bijapur were still entire, and presented to a spectator from without the appearance of a flourishing city, but within all was solitude, silence, and desolation. The progress of decay, he noted, was extremely rapid ; which little, if anything, had been done to arrest its effects. This was a matter of the greatest regret, for he described the ruins, as they then existed, as wonderfully grand, and as a vast whole exceeding anything of the kind in Europe. But it was not only the hand of time that worked destruction on the beauty of the Adil Shahi architecture, for the decorations in gold and colours that adorned the interior walls of numerous buildings in the city were deliberately scraped off in later days by the Mahrattas, under one of the successors of Shivaji to the throne of Satara. It is only in the Juma Masjid that a small portion of this decoration remains intact to attest the high degree of excellence to which the painter's art once attained at Bijapur. But if at the time when Grant Duff was compiling his history, and for many years later, practically nothing was done to arrest the destruction of the wonderful monuments of a by-gone Mahomedan civilization which Bijapur presents, the Government of Bombay is no longer open to reproach for neglecting to preserve, and in some cases, restore them. During the last decade a marked change has come over the city.

Up to 1881 Bijapur was an important corner of the Kaladgi District, the highest resident official being a Mamlatdar. Some few of the more important buildings such as the Ibrahim Roza, and the great Mausoleum of Sultan Mahmoud, known as the Gol Gomaz, were kept in a fair state of repair; but the city as a whole was a mass of shapeless mass of stone and rubbish, and overgrown with prickly pear. The ancient monuments were exceedingly difficult of access owing to the paucity of roads ; and there was no accommodation whatever for the occasional traveller who adventured upon the troublesome journey of sixty miles from Sholapur over a road of the worst description with no bridges over the rivers and nullahs which it crossed. This state of things seemed intolerable to Sir James Fergusson, the then Governor of Bombay ; and no efforts or money were spared by his Government to wipe out what was nothing less than a public scandal. It was determined to remove the head-quarters of the Collectorate from Kaladgi, which had long ceased to possess any local importance to Bijapur, and to call the district by the name of its former capital. A comprehensive scheme was drawn up and promptly taken in hand for the conversion of this city of the dead into a civil station. The buildings which appeared most suitable for the purpose were converted into public offices and courts ; and others into houses for the collector, judge, and other district officials. The Collector took up his residence in the Anand Mahal in 1883, though the work of altering the building was not completed for some time afterwards. The steps that were taken to fit the ruins of the Adil Shahi mosques and palaces to their new requirements have not altogether escaped criticism from the students of architecture and antiquarians ; but the unbiassed observer will concede that no injury has really been done to any buildings that would claim to be considered beautiful, which the general character and features of the original style have been carefully followed so far as it was possible to do so. Some of the buildings that have been converted into dwelling houses form the most charming residences, especially the beautiful mosque, known as the "Sisters," which is occupied by the executive engineers. Another mosque has been converted into a church which though small is singularly graceful, the style of the Bijapur architecture being carefully adhered to.

In 1883 a large gang of convicts was located in the city and employed in clearing away the accumulated rubbish of centuries, and making roads which give easy access to all the principal remains. The magnificent arch belonging to the Gagan Mahal, which had a serious flaw in it, has been restored, although the building to which it was attached between it and [illegible] to be taken in hand ; and Sath Mangli, which overlooking tower of the Arkilla or Citadel, are the twin tennis-courts of the local Gymkhana. Altogether to be stationed at Kaladji in the old days was looked upon as a severe form of penal servitude, the lot of anyone sent to Bijapur at the present time cannot be considered an unhappy one.

An excellent guide book to the old capital of the Adil Shahi Kings has been published by Mr. Henry Cousens of the Archæological Survey of Western India. It gives a detailed account of the objects of interest, with a history of the city, and an itinerary which enables visitors who have only a limited amount of time at their disposal to see all that is possible in the course of a day. But as he states a week is not too long to spend at Bijapur—in fact Bijapur and its surrounding cannot be seen properly in less time. It might be crowded into four full days, but not comfortably. The building that will first attract the traveller's attention is of course the Gol Gomaz. It is close to the railway station, and it can be seen many miles from Bijapur. The Gomaz is certainly not so beautiful as many others in the city ; but its enormous size, the dome covering a larger space than even the Pantheon at Rome, lends it a certain stateliness in spite of the severity of its outline. One of the most remarkable features of this tomb is the whispering gallery. As Mr. Cousens tells us, the slightest whisper can be heard from side to side, and a conversation can be most easily carried on across the full diameter of the dome in the lowest under tone. The roof of the tomb, surrounding the dome, commands an extensive view of Bijapur and the surrounding country. After thoroughly exploring this remarkable edifice the traveller will do best in proceeding to the Juma Masjid, the principal mosque of the city. The dome of this building is generally considered one of the best proportioned in Bijapur, appealing as it does more to the European standard of taste in such matters than most of the others, which are entirely oriental in design. The interior of the mosque with its massive square piers which afford a new vista to the eye from each direction that they are observed, is extremely beautiful and impressive. Not far from the Juma Masjid is the Mehtar Mahal, one of the most richly decorated and graceful buildings, though on quite a miniature scale. Next to this little gem comes the Asar Mahal on the outer edge of the citadel. This is one of the most sacred buildings in the city. One if its rooms is said to contain two hairs of the Prophet's beard. The citadel itself is simply a mass of buildings, each of which will repay close study. Amongst them is an imitation of the great mosque at Mecca ; and there are some interesting specimens of old Jain architecture. At no great distance from the citadel is the large tank, known as the Taj Bauri, whose entrance is spanned by a high arch 35 feet across. After visiting the huge copper gun, known as the Malik-i-Maidan, that is on one of the bastions of the city wall, the sightseer will naturally find his way to the Ibrahim Roza, situated about half-a-mile outside the city. This is by far the most exquisite of the Bijapur buildings ; and it would be difficult to find anything to surpass the gracefulness of its domes and minarets in any part of the world. We have not space to notice any more of the objects of interest which make Bijapur well worthy of a visit ; but we have written enough to show that no one who could find time for the journey would regret having visited the capital of the old Deccan kingdom. It is a pity that though the railway takes the traveller to the very walls of the city the speed of the trains is so slow as to be positively wearisome, and the time-table arrangements are about as bad as they can be. There is a comfortable traveller's bungalow near the station ; but it is not in great request, as the station-master states that he is under instructions to forward visitors to the bungalow of the hospitable Superintendent of Police.

THE RAJABAI TOWER TRAGEDY.

MANOCKJEE ADJAJEE will be placed at 2-30 p. m., to-day, before Mr. C. P. Cooper, Chief Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Courts, on the charge of murder in connexion with the recent tragedy at the Clock Tower. Mr. Brewin, Superintendent B Division, appeared before the Chief Presidency Magistrate yesterday and applied for subpœnas on the Parsee children and about a dozen other witnesses for the prosecution ; and the application was granted.

A CURIOUS mishap lately befell a popular actress in New York. The lady had been ordered by her doctor to take a few sulphur baths. Accompanied by her maid, she had but just entered the room reserved for her, when the latter uttered piercing shrieks terrified at the sudden transformation in the aspect of her mistress, who, in less than five minutes had become as black as a negress. The actress herself, on perceiving the dreadful change in her appearance, fainted. When the doctor, who had been promptly summoned, arrived, the mystery was explained. The actress, it seems, was in the habit of using as a cosmetic—for her face, arms, and neck—a pomade containing a very strong solution of zinc which, brought into contact with the sulphur of the bath, had produced the astonishing effect described.

THE PILGRIMS' TRAFFIC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Your contemporary the *Times of India* has in this morning's issue a most alarming article on the pilgrim traffic. In exoneration of the authorities, who are charged by the writer of the article with all sorts of sins of omission and commission, I have a few words of explanation to offer that will I think, give quite another colour to the picture. I propose to deal with the subjects brought forward in the order in which they appear in the article. To begin with the Sculptor it is quite true that she was sent back from Camaran, the quarantine station for Jeddah, by the Turkish authorities, but that was an altogether extraordinary proceeding. There was nothing abnormal in the case of that vessel except the ignorance of her commander as to the manners and customs of the country he was in. Had he understood these better or had his owners in Bombay instructed him properly, the Sculptor would never have returned. In going from Bombay to Camaran the vessel lost four pilgrims of the 770 that she took from here. From the register of deaths kept by the doctor of the vessel it may be known to all whom it may concern that three of those four died of old age and debility, and one of small-pox. the combined ages of the deceased was 267 years or an average of 66 ; the oldest was a woman, aged 70, the youngest a man, aged 60. Surely Government or any of its servants cannot be charged with any laches in respect to those four pilgrims. The pilgrims were landed from the Sculptor on the islet of Camaran. The hardships of living on such a barren, waterless spot, I will not attempt to speak of. The pilgrims were detained on Camaran from the 2nd until the 20th losing twenty. The ship's doctor supposes of cholera, but he records that he was not allowed by the Turkish authorities "to approach the sick." On the return voyage of the Sculptor there were ten deaths. This was, of course due to the thoroughly exhausted condition of the passengers after a stay of twenty days on the island of Camaran, and even here leaving out a child of four years, the average age of the nine deceased is 56. Enough of the Sculptor.

The figures showing the death-rate on the return voyage are wrong. Where the mistake is I have not time to find out. I quote my own figures, which are official, and on the records of the Bombay Custom House. For

1885-86	Returned pilgrims	5733	deaths 93	Average	1·5
1886-87	do.	5247	do. 57	do.	1·0
1887-88	do.	6735	do. 55	do.	4·9
1888-89	do.	8307	do. 57	do.	1·0
1889-90	do.	8813	do. 71	do.	·82
1890-91	do.	7935	do. 91	do.	1·1

The writer in the *Times of India* says the death-rate is enormous, and is due to overcrowding and sickness. That would be so if his figures were correct, but I challenge them, and with them his thesis. I contend that considering the age, condition, and necessary hardships of the voyage, the death-rate is marvellously small, and reflects the highest credit on the thought, labour, and consideration of the Government of India in this very troublesome business. No other than a *ma-bap* Indian Government could worry itself about people who are weary of life and deliberately choose a short out out of it in the belief that they are going to Paradise.

As to ventilation. Many of the vessels now engaged in this traffic are old P. and O. steamers that carried first-class European passengers for many a year along the very route, and in the very regions that the pilgrims passed through. The ventilation then used has not been lessened ; on the contrary, it is increased. Cholera comes, I believe from germs, and air-holes are not germicides. Ventilate the vessels well by all means, and let the doctors' opinions on that point prevail, but let us keep to true issues and not ride away on fancy. The treatment of baggage is very hard to deal with, and in considering it, the habits and manner of life of the pilgrims themselves must be considered. We must not, I submit, look at the thing from a European standpoint. If we do we may as well go the whole hog, and order that pilgrims must come on board provided with portmanteaux, Gladstone bags, and hand boxes, duly marked. The writer of the article in dealing with this point seems to forget that of the twelve hundred passengers on board a pilgrim ship, every man is independent of his neighbour in the matter of food. Each set cooks for itself, and so has its provisions handy, and this not alone for the outward voyage, but also for the homeward. Take all this away, stow it indiscriminately in the hold, and we would so mix up the unmarked baggage that when it was brought up each day, there would be no end of quarrels about which was which. The crowding of the decks with baggage is undoubtedly an evil, but it is one that has never yet led to any catastrophe, though according to the calculations of all scientific men it ought to be the source of woes unnumbered. As a fact, it is not, and therefore, I say, let the question of baggage be fought out by the commander and his passengers, Government interference ought not to go too far.

Lastly, I come to the nine-foot rule. Certainly it seems a very small allowance, but it has worked, and as the passengers themselves do not complain I think it ought not to be altered lightly. The effect would be to make passengers more comfortable and more costly.

The [illegible] not a happy one, and will cause [illegible] be passed by our [illegible] fancy. [illegible] Port Ho[illegible] and [illegible] Sath [illegible] would be [illegible] spaced [illegible] of certain [illegible] are very [illegible] anxious [illegible] to such [illegible]

An excellent suggestion [illegible] shall carry so much soap, and the soap is duly on board. But who ever uses it ; the soap goes backward and forward, and once provided is always provided. No, if there are to be any more changes, let them be radical and sweeping. Let the Government of India take pilgrims to and from Jedda. It need not lose a fraction on the undertaking. I was just going to close, but it just occurs to me I have have not said anything to explain the difference of 22,449, given by the writer in the *Times of India*. It is certainly alarming but it is explainable. Some few hundred no doubt die each year on shore between Jedda and Mecca. For them the Government of India can do nothing. But thousands that pass through Bombay return to their homes direct from Jedda. The most remarkable case is that of the Javanese, they come from Singapore in small batches of 300 and 400, and transfer to the pilgrim ships in Bombay. When the Haj is over, there is a sufficiently large number collected to go in ships sufficiently chartered to proceed direct to Java. They go in rivulets to Jedda. On the return the several rivulets make a large stream that changes its course having gathered sufficient force to do so. The Bengalees go direct to Calcutta and the North-Western Indians to Kurrachee. They have seen *urbs prima in Indis* once, and consider they have travelled. The one thought is to get home quickly, cheaply, and directly. Behold, Mr. Editor, I show you a mystery.—Yours, &c.,

A CUSTOMS OFFICER.

LONDON UNIVERSITY REFORM.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—All who have studied educational matters or thought on the subject at all, will hail with delight the pending reform in the constitution of the London University. It is high time that this question should be discussed. Lord Herschell and Sir Richard Main deserve our thanks for the stand they are making against the present system which in ninety cases out of a hundred mean physical and mental deterioration. It is to be hoped that this is a beginning to a great many other changes in our educational system, in spite of the reasons given by a Cambridge M.A., in favour of continuing the present system. The London degree, he thinks although a test of knowledge has not the "humanising influence of contact with cultivated and refined minds," because the London University is only one examining University. He rather defeats his position, for if the refining comes from a teaching University, then why not allow the London University to become one ? True, Lord Herschell's scheme introduces four or five different modes of graduation, but is not this also a test of knowledge ? All this cry against the lowering of the standard of the London University and the value of the London M. D. degree is simply tall talk. This value is simply based on an idea and nothing more, for the fact is, the London M. D. gets less medical knowledge than any student carrying on medical studies elsewhere. It is well-known that medical students have to waste a great deal of their strength and energy on subjects that have no more to do with their profession than chair-making or horse-shoeing has, with this difference that chair-making or horse-shoeing or even shoe-blacking would be a good deal more useful to him personally. As to the "humanising influence" of Oxford and Cambridge, those who have had any experience of these centres of learning can also speak of the view on the other side of the shield, details of which I need not enter into here. In conclusion, we might probably ask ourselves, is there any reason why our examination should be conducted in the manner they are. Think what it means to hundreds who have several sons to educate, and daughters too now, when [illegible] of one subject necessitates the going up again a year after to be examined in all the subjects again, instead of as it should be in the one only failed in. Would it not be more reasonable to go up for examination in the subject or subjects failed in, say a couple of months after ? The present system of education is not only unjust and cruel to the student, but is also simply ruinous to those in profession or the military service. Their incomes cannot stand the strain, home life and family life being thus rendered positively unbearable, all the income being absorbed in the education of children. The next rung in the educational ladder therefore let us hope and pray will be free education for all not only in England but in India.—Yours, &c.,

SARAH S. GOSTLING.

Lanouli, 11th June, 1891.

AN open-air preacher was addressing a crowd in the East End of London, when a drunken soldier came up and loudly ridiculed the whole service. Finding that it was impossible to ignore the man, the strategic preacher had recourse to a manœuvre which proved successful. "Ah, my friend," he said, "you've only borrowed those gay red clothes. No servant of the Queen would get drunk and interrupt a peaceful service." Of course the man warmly protested that he was a soldier, and invited the preacher to test him. "Very well, was it reply. "I will. Now, then, stand at attention." This the soldier did as well as his drunken condition allowed. "Right about face." This also was accomplished with some trouble. "Now, quick march !" and off went the automaton down the Mile End Road at the regulation pace.

IMPROVED POSTAL DELIVERY FOR BOMBAY.

As already stated in our columns, the agitation of the Bombay Chamber of Commerce has resulted in the Officiating Presidency Postmaster thoroughly revising the local postal service, and making such

support to this scheme. It was through the support of Mr. Reid that we got the scheme first settled by the Municipality, but the final successful accomplishment of this useful work is most mainly due to Mr. James's able and valuable support. The Municipality is deeply indebted to Lord Reay, who took great interest in this work and not only lent us the services of the engineering officers of Government but also obtained for us a loan of rupees three lakhs at 4½ per cent. for the completion of the work. The Municipality of Ahmedabad is grateful to your lordship's Government for allowing us to make our own arrangements for the purchase of distribution-pipes, &c., by which the Municipality has been able to effect a saving of several thousands of rupees. I beg humbly and respectfully to tender on behalf of the Municipality their sincere thanks to your lordship for the trouble your lordship has taken to honor us with a special visit in this very hot and trying season of the year. In conclusion, I pray, on behalf of the Municipality, that your lordship will graciously be pleased to open the water-works of Ahmedabad.

His Excellency the Governor, in declaring the works open, said :—

Ladies and Gentlemen,—I need hardly say it gives me very great pleasure to find myself again in Ahmedabad and paying a visit to Gujerat. But although the pleasure is great and the occasion a most interesting one, I confess I cannot but feel, amidst these bright and encouraging surroundings that a certain gloom has been cast over this city, and certainly over my own feelings, by the fact that one face which I had expected to find here to greet me when I arrived, one presence that was characterised by its energy and the encouragement it gave you all in many departments of life has passed away. We now miss, and most sincerely miss the presence of your great friend, Mr. Mahipatram Rupram, and I feel sure that I am only saying what all of you in Ahmedabad feel when I say that we most sincerely sympathise with those who were nearest and dearest to him, in the severe loss they have suffered, and assure them that we feel we are ourselves also losers by his death. But although we deeply deplore his departure from this life we are nevertheless animated by the example he set us during his useful life, and I cannot help thinking there must be some who will rise to the occasion, and, inspired by that example, endeavour to follow in the worthy steps he pursued in the advancement of many deserving and important objects. To pass on to the more immediate subject which has brought us together to-day. I have the greatest pleasure in congratulating you, Mr. Runchordlal Chotalal and your colleagues that this work, which has been so long in contemplation, and which has been under execution for some time has at last become an accomplished fact; and merely for the purpose of record it may not be useless if I refer very shortly to the history of the scheme. Projects for an improved supply of water to the town of Ahmedabad were under consideration for many years. Several alternative schemes were investigated by the officers of the Irrigation Department, but without any practical result. In October, 1885, Colonel Ducat was deputed to Ahmedabad at the request of the Municipality to report on the subject of the water-supply. His proposals were :—A supply of 20 gallons per head to be obtained by pumping from the river Sabarmattee at a point rather more than a mile from the city wall, and above all chance of pollution. The approximate cost was set down at 12½ lakhs, including a complete system of distribution. The Municipality appointed a sub-committee to consider the question. They decided to adopt Colonel Ducat's scheme for pumping water from the Sabarmattee at Dadheshwar with modifications, and requested sanction to raise the loan of six lakhs in the open market, three lakhs at once, and three lakhs later on. Sanction was granted, and in February, 1888, the executive engineer was authorised to prepare the scheme under the usual rules as regards charges. The Municipality first objected to the charge for establishment; but ultimately accepted the following proposals :—(1) No charge to be made for services of the executive and chief engineer; (2) the pay and allowances of the establishment actually employed to be defrayed by the Municipality; (3) the expenditure to be accounted for according to P.W. rules; and (4) a charge of 2 per cent. to be made on the expenditure to cover the cost of office establishment, audit, &c. The plans and estimates prepared were submitted to a committee, consisting of Messrs. Whiting, Little, Doig, and Hughes, and in February, 1889, their final recommendations were accepted, and indents for materials required from England ordered to be submitted. The scheme as developed differs considerably from that originally presented. The settling tank was abandoned, and one large high level reservoir substituted for the six formerly proposed, the water being pumped direct from the river into the high level reservoir. The pumps are placed in one engine-house and the engines capable of lifting 1,300,000 gallons of water 100 feet in 12 hours. The reservoir was designed to be of a diameter of about 100 feet and capable of containing 325,000 gallons of water. In your address you have referred to other points in the history of the scheme, and it is unnecessary for me to detain you any further on it; but I would point out this, that I do think you should carefully consider now whether it would not be wise to make it a further supposition as soon as possible, as while you are just now looked upon as quite a first-class town within the truth of the fact that Ahmedabad has been supplied with [illegible] allowance for the amount of water per head, and for the population, the water-works have been supplied with [illegible] great financial obstacles in several cities, large towns. Time is very much in your favour and I understand that there is a saving upon the original estimate, and even if you made it the complete job I have suggested with two extra wells and another reservoir, in case the existing reservoir has to be emptied for cleaning or painting, or such purposes, there is a probability that there would still be a saving in the original estimate. I only suggest that now you have got the opportunity of a really pure supply of water, it very likely would be a mistaken economy to stop short instead of making such a complete system as will ensure you against any interruption to that supply. Well, ladies and gentlemen, besides the congratulations that I have already offered, I am sure you will feel, that, as Mr. Runchordlal Chotalal has himself said, many thanks are due to the engineers who have been connected with this scheme from its commencement. Messrs. Ducat, Whiting, Little, Doig, and Pardoonjee, and all those officers of the Revenue Department who, by the interest they have taken in it, and by their exertions pushed it on, and made it an accomplished fact, deserve our heartiest thanks, and I am sure you will join with me in expressing the pleasure we feel in seeing your old Commissioner, Mr. James, here to-day. (Applause.) But there is one name not mentioned in this address, and I think I can understand the reason. There is another gentleman who has done a good deal of engineering and who should not be forgotten. There are other kinds of engineering besides boring through rocks, or sinking wells in sand, or erecting bridges, almost as difficult. I mean the engineering in the Council Chamber. I cannot help thinking, therefore, Mr. Runchordlal Chotalal has also to be congratulated as much as anybody on his successful engineering of this scheme through the Council Chamber of Ahmedabad. Then you, ladies and gentlemen, in the whole City of Ahmedabad have to be congratulated for the energy and enterprise you have shown in carrying this scheme through, and placing yourselves on a level with all those large, and some of them larger towns in India, which have recognised that one of the duties of a Municipal Corporation is to supply their fellow-townspeople with pure water. Now that the outworks of a superstitious preference for impure water have been attacked in this Presidency, as instanced in the fact that Ahmedabad in the extreme north, in Bombay at our Western Gate, where, I cannot help thinking, that perhaps they have been treated more like an extravagant and reckless grandchild than as the second largest city in the empire, in the extreme south at Hubli, and in the far east at Dhulia, are all perfecting their supplies, I think we may fairly hope that in the smaller towns as well as the larger, it may be recognised by the councillors that the object for which they were selected and elected was to take care of the sanitary conditions surrounding their fellow-citizens, and amongst other things endeavour to supply them with pure water. A very notable instance came before me the other day on my visit to Kolhapur, when it was stated to me that before the supply of water from the comparatively new works was received, cholera had been an endemic in Kolhapur, but since they had their supply of pure water cholera had almost entirely ceased. Well, I think I am bound to point out, that whether certain Municipalities recognise that this is one of their duties or whether they do not, Government cannot forget what its duty is, for the intention of those wise and great statesmen who pressed the policy of local self-government in India most undoubtedly was that the duties which were to be placed on the shoulders of the councillors who were elected or selected to serve on the boards, should be that they should by decentralisation, take an interest in local affairs—and it was to be expected they would take more interest in local affairs than where the system was centralised. I say it was distinctly the intention of these great and wise men that this should be one of the duties of the boards; and it was their expectation that the gentlemen elected to the boards would undertake, and recognise it was their duty to undertake it. I recognise as fully and clearly as anyone can, that the Municipalities have considerable difficulties to contend with. I know there are flaws in the law itself; I know there are difficulties to be met with in the inherent dislike of the people of India to changes in systems, and especially to changes in the system of local taxation. So far as Government can, I ask you to believe that we will do all we can within our legitimate domain of legislation, to help you; and I urge you to go on with the beneficent work you have in hand, namely, that of securing the better health of your fellow-townspeople and not to be dismayed by the differences of opinion you may find among your towns-people as to whether or not it is a popular policy, but satisfied that it is a right policy, because in the better health of your people you will be repaid a hundred-fold all the labour and trouble you have been put to. I may, however, point out that it is very clear Government has no right to sit still in cases where nothing is done. Local self-government was not given to the Municipalities and local boards of India merely as a plaything to be proud of, and used one day to be thrown aside and neglected the next. It was the distinct intention of the Supreme Government that it should be used as a means of bettering the condition of the townspeople or the ratepayers of boards or municipalities. It was given as a right to be honestly and earnestly used. Provincial Governments have no right at all to sit still where they find that this indifference to change among possibly a people who do not understand the changes are for their own good. Where that indifference to change is being used for the purposes of agitation and obstruction, provincial governments have no right to sit still, because it is their bounden duty to take care that Municipalities and local-boards perform the duties entrusted to them by the Supreme Government. I am as anxious to deal as leniently as possible with those who have been selected for the novel responsibilities laid upon them. But if as I say through the want of comprehension, local powers are misused for the purposes of agitation and obstruction, or for sitting still and doing nothing, Government on its side has no right to remain inactive. I sincerely trust the admirable example set by the great towns I have mentioned, and others will be so universally copied where natural advantages admit, that Government will have but the meagrest, if any, compulsion placed on it to interfere. I may also point this out, that it should be remembered that the money you have borrowed for the purpose of this work has been sunk in a marketable security. These iron pipes, these engines, this labour on which you have spent your borrowings are not valueless now that this work is finished. They constitute a property capable of returning an income, and therefore are saleable. It is not inconceivable that if you wished your water-supply should be managed by a private company, instead of by the Corporation, it would not be difficult to find a company ready to buy your property. I should imagine the tendency of local self-government is the other way about, and rather to buy up such things as water-works, gas-works, &c., and manage them for the good of the people under their charge than to have private effort to do so. But I only mention this in the hope of disabusing some people of the idea that the investment of borrowed money in these concerns which are capable of paying interest sufficient to pay off the capital and cover working charges and the interest on the loan is not a heedless extravagance. Suppose, and it is not an idle supposition, that you had preferred to save and scrape and hoard until you had got enough money to effect this scheme, it would have taken you very possibly quite as long, even with the interest on your savings, to get your water-works, as it will now be for you to pay off the loan; and in the meantime you would have had to go without the supply of pure water, which you will get at once. There is a very fair argument for considering whether it is not a legitimate object for municipalities and boards to obtain water for their people by means of loans instead of by hoarding their savings out of their annual income. Ladies and gentlemen, you have been good enough to thank me for coming here to-day to perform this ceremony. Of course it is a fact that absence from head-quarters may sometimes lead to inconvenience; anxious questions which need one's presence may come in at any moment; but I feel there is a duty to perform besides that of current official work, and that is to show that one's interest is an active one in whatever is of interest to any part of the Presidency, and to do one's best to identify oneself in all matters of moment in every quarter of it. It has, therefore, been a pleasure and no trouble to me to be present here to-day at your invitation, and to have the opportunity of declaring, as I now do, these works to be open, and I most sincerely hope that they may more than realise your most sanguine expectations. (Loud applause.)

Mr. Runchordlal Chotalal next presented to his Excellency, a handsome casket of ebony, inlaid with ivory. On the lid was a silver plate, on which was engraved, "Presented to H. E. the Right Honourable George Robert Canning, Baron Harris, G.C.I.E., on the occasion of the opening of the Ahmedabad Water-Works, 11th June, 1891. In the casket was a silver key, on which was engraved "A. W. W., 11th June, 1891," and with that key Mr. Runchordlal requested his Excellency to open the door of the engine-house and set the machinery in motion. That he did, and the starting of the engines was received with a loud cheer.

An adjournment was then made to the refreshment buffet, where another pleasing little ceremony took place, H. E. the Governor presenting to Mr. Bomonjee Shapurjee, Inspector of the Water-Works, a silver watch for his services, during the construction of the works, and pugg.ees to the mistry and fitters engaged on the works.

This terminated the proceedings, and his Excellency and Staff departed for the railway station whence they left in the mail train for Poona.

A WARNING TO THE PUBLIC.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—It has come to the knowledge of the Committee of the European and Eurasian Poor Fund, that subscription lists purporting to be for the purpose of aiding a Mrs. Hamilton and family at Belgaum, to proceed to England, are being circulated in Bombay; and that a number of letters, evidently in answer to the appeal, and containing money have been carried off by a man from the Byculla Post Office. The public are warned that the man who has called for the letters is an impostor known to the committee, and that the police are now on his track.

The European and Eurasian Poor Fund exists for the purpose of aiding the poor, after investigation, and is often able to detect imposture, and save charity from being misdirected into wrong channels.

If in cases such as the above the public would apply to the committee for information, and then send them any help they desire to bestow they would know that their charity was being well applied, instead of going into the pockets of impostors, to the detriment of the really poor and deserving.

The committee have many very sad cases of to relieve, because those which are suitable by such cases as the one now referred to, and they will gratefully receive and distribute any funds or old garments that may be intrusted to them.

The committee issue tickets which can be obtained by subscribers on application to the Rev. R. A. Squires, President, European and Eurasian Poor Fund, Church Mission Society's House, Girgaum, and these would relieve them of all trouble of investigation in case of folks calling at houses for relief.—Yours, &c.,

F. W. MAJOR, Colonel,
Officiating President European and Eurasian Poor Fund, Girgaum.

HOME REMITTANCES.

THE following is the weekly memorandum of remittances to the Home Treasury by means of Council Bills, up to the 8th June, 1891 :—

	£
Amount to be remitted during 1891-1892 ...	16,000,000
Remitted from 1st April to 6th June, 1891...	4,554,400
Balance to be remitted from 7th June, 1891, to 31st March 1892.....	11,445,600

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

Bombay, 11th June, 1891.

Means of observations at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·729
Temperature of the Air	87·0
Wet Bulb Thermometer	78·6
Dew Point	73·6
Relative humidity of Air	76
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky clouded = 10)...	6
Maximum temperature of air (read at 8 a.m. next day)	92·4
Minimum do. do. (read at 8 a.m.).....	82·7
General Directions of Wind*	WSW, W.
Movement of Wind in 24 hours *	272
Fall of Rain	0·00
Total fall during month	0·39
do. year	0·35
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 12th June	Nil

* From midnight to midnight.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

THURSDAY NIGHT, JUNE 11.

10 p.m.	84·5

FRIDAY, JUNE 12.

6 a.m.	83·4
10 a.m.	86·4
2 p.m.	89·4
4 p.m.	89·3

A large collection of Wilkie Collins's MSS. is to come under the hammer at Sotheby's on June 3rd. In many cases the manuscripts include the author's first copy as well as his "revise." The list is too long to give here, but it includes "Mr. Nightingale's Diary," "The Frozen Deep," "The Lighthouse," "The New Magdalen," "The Red Vial," "No Name," "The Evil Genius," "Armadale" (Miss Gwilt), "Man and Wife," "No Thoroughfare," "The Woman in White," "The Lady Calista," "Rank and Riches," and "Moonstone." In the same sale, and of equal interest, are Wilkie Collins's commonplace books. These consist of "Scraps, Notes and Ideas," "Suggestions from many Sources," "Ideas for Novels," "Ideas for Stories." Other treasures in the sale are the original agreements between Charles Dickens and Bentley, in respect of which Bentley was to pay Charles Dickens £40 a month for lending his name to the "Miscellany" for two years, and the agreement between them for "Barnaby Rudge." Bentley was to pay Dickens £2,000 for the copyright; if the sale exceeded 10,000 copies, a further sum of £1,000; and if it went beyond 15,000 copies, a final sum of £1,000; so that it appears that Dickens received £4,000 for the copyright.

M. Weiss, the eminent essayist and journalist, died on the 22nd ult. at Fontainebleau, of paralysis. Our Paris correspondent says M. Weiss was librarian of the Palace there, a post which he obtained six years ago, when he began to feel the approaches of the disease which caused his death. As a stylist he was unmatched in the journalism of his day. There was a bitter-sweet pungency in all his essays and articles peculiar to them. Nobody had a finer instinct for clear outline or chaste form. Gambetta, in naming him despatch-writer at the Foreign Office, said that he would be to the world of diplomacy what Dufaure was at the bar, but as the opposition to the appointment was so violent, M. Weiss retired along with his patron. Nobody attacked him with more sharpness and spirit than M. Edmond About, who spoke of him as being as fit for a Foreign Office post as a sparrow was to live in a cathedral.

Japan, following the example of several of the order Powers, has adopted a new and extensive programme of naval construction. The scheme of Viscount Kabayama, Minister of the Japanese Navy, embraces the buildings at once, of two first-class cruisers, one second-class cruiser, and one torpedo gun-vessel, and, later, of the following :—

Two battleships, each of 9,500 tons. Three armoured cruisers, each of 6,000 tons. One cruiser of 4,500 tons. Two cruisers, each of 3,500 tons. One cruiser of 2,500 tons. Three cruisers, each of 1,500 tons. Seven torpedo gun-vessels, each of 750 tons. Three torpedo gun-vessels, each of 500 tons.

The estimated cost of the completion of the whole programme is £9,350,500, of which sum a million sterling has been already appropriated.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

As regards the work to be done during the present legislative session at Simla, the Bankers' Books Evidence Bill and the Deck and Load Lines' Bill are now ready for disposal and will probably be passed next month. A third Bill has reference to the validation of certain irregular marriages between Native Christians.

Truth states that the Cooper's Hill Engineering college at home is almost certain to be abolished. The prospects of its abolition, observes a contemporary, are, as a matter of fact, very much what they were five years ago, and it is also possible that the College may yet live as long as threatened men are supposed to do.

A police constable at Ludhiana has been awarded a year's rigorous imprisonment for breaking an ekka driver's rib, because he refused to give him a lift in the ekka: constables always do manage him a lift in the ekka: constables always do manage to get free lifts. The accused's story was that the ekka-man had more than three passengers (also a usual practice): and that as he tried to stop him the horse stumbled and fell, and hence the mishap.

Already the Calcutta Pauperism Committee has begun operations. Sub-committees have been formed, and a census of the paupers in Calcutta, Howrah, and the suburbs is to be formed, while statistics of charities are also to be collected. Among the questions to be considered are the further opening of the avennes of employment, and the possible extension of the power of the law in dealing with professional paupers. The Committee, it is hoped, will be able to suggest some means of improving the conditions under which the poor live,—the teaching, training, and housing of the "submerged fifth" of the Indian metropolis.

Dr. Benjamin Howard supplies the *Lancet* with notes of what was probably the parent case of influenza in India. On board the mail steamer by which he travelled to India in December, 1889, was a gentleman who was suffering from a severe and prolonged attack of influenza. He landed with the other passengers at Bombay, and as his was the only case on board it became quite a subject of speculation whether or no he might not inoculate Bombay with his influenza. In six weeks influenza was common amongst the many regular residents at the hotel at which he was staying and soon after began to appear among the residents on the neighbouring suburban hills. From India Dr. Howard believes the disease was conveyed to Japan by the steam-ship lines running to Kobi.

Last week, writes the *Rangoon Times*, a villager, of a village not far from Pyuntaza, went to a dense forest by himself and climbed a high tree with the intention of taking honey from a large bee-hive. The bees attacked him. Apparently he was not an experienced honey-hunter, for they stung him so severely that he let go his hold and fell from an immense height to the ground and broke his spine. The poor fellow laid there for the space of 48 hours before he was discovered by some relative who had started out to find him as he had not returned home. The bees had followed him in his descent and had apparently been stinging him all the time; life was almost extinct, but his friend managed to carry him home where death relieved him from agony the next day.

The Government of India has expressed its satisfaction with the careful and vigorous measures, taken by the Madras Government to meet the present difficulties and with the re-assuring prospects that are held out of the early termination of anything like serious distress in the affected districts. The Government of India remarks that it is satisfactory to find that the wells, which are specially numerous in North Arcot, have enabled the cultivators, even in the worst tracts, to bring a crop to maturity; also that the improved means of communication have enabled more fortunate districts to pour their supplies into those which have most suffered, and to keep down prices to some extent.

In recognition of the mu[illegible]t charities and good works rendered to the Ro[illegible]h by Mr. L. Reilly, of Hill Gr[illegible] Lordship, Dr. Bardon, th[illegible] recommended Mr. Reilly [illegible] for the Knighthood of the St. Gregory. The Papal [illegible] part of last month, and [illegible] in repairing to Grey's H[illegible] presence of a number of [illegible] sented Mr. Reilly with [illegible] arrival of the insignia [illegible] solemn investiture will [illegible]

Khan of Jandol in th[illegible] writes the Lahore pap[illegible] capture, loot and b[illegible] Muhammad Khan, h[illegible] who had made an ex[illegible] a force of Kohistanis[illegible] Sher Muhammad re[illegible] as the result, perh[illegible] federacy against Ur[illegible] The Khan of Naw[illegible] himself with the m[illegible] had previously be[illegible] Jirgas of the Ut[illegible] Baizais have com[illegible] to assist him [illegible] the Khan of L[illegible] a force for [illegible] tribes last men[illegible] Lalpura, profess allegi[illegible] Khan; and what is further significant, it is stated that, under orders from the Amir, the Governor of Jellalabad has advanced the sinews of war to the extent of Rs. 12,000 to the ex-Khan of Dir on security of his jagirs of Tangi and Tokhchi. The Amir himself has, however, refused to take any direct part in the tribal fighting between minor Khans, unless the result necessitates interference. Although this is a final blow to the Khans of Nawazish hopes of assistance from the Amir, the position is sufficiently critical for Umra Khan, who has, it is said, opened negotiations alleging that it is foolish for the only two remaining independent Khans to weaken themselves by fighting, so that afterwards both will fall easy victims to a foreign power.

Major the Nawab Ansur Jung, the popular commandant of the Golconda brigade, has brought out a manual containing instructions for cavalry and infantry drill by flag signals. Instructions for manœuvring on parade to his troops are now conveyed by flag signals, intead of by word of mouth or bugle call. For an open country like India this innovation promises to be most useful, and the Adjutant-General and Quartermaster-General in India have expressed high approval of it. The Minister has ordered the introduction of this system in his own paigah troops.

Recent heavy rains in Ganjam have put the Rushikuliya works to a severe test. The works at Madiva Borida, under the charge of Mr. Somers Eve, were completely submerged and covered with silt, so that at first it was thought that they had all been washed away. It has been decided in consequence to cease work there until the wet season is over.

In connection with the delimitation work on the Siam-Kiangtung border, the southern limits of which had to be defined, Mr. Archer is busy with his report at Bangkok, while Mr. Kennedy of the Survey Department is working up his map material at Bangalore. Captain Sullon, who commanded the small escort with the party, is expected at Simla shortly from Rangoon. The work done was not, of course so important as that upon which Mr. Ney Elias was engaged the year before on the Salween frontier; but still it was valuable in its way as tending to show how far Siamese authority extends northward. The party visited Kuenghung on the Mekong River, whence Mr. Scott, Dr. Gray, and Mr. Kennedy returned westwards to Fort Stedman; while Mr. Archer and Captain Fulton, as we know, went down stream in country boats to Bangkok.

The Pegu Club, Rangoon, wired to the Officer Commanding 43rd Gorkhas as follows :—"The residents of Rangoon, civil and military, who have assembled to do honour to Major Grant, V.C., at the Pegu Club, do honour to his comrades, commissioned, non-commissioned, and men, who accompanied him on his gallant enterprise, and feel confident that her Gracious Majesty will recognise their gallantry." Colonel Evans and the officers of the 43rd Gorkhas, on behalf of Jemadar Birha Nagarkati and his gallant men who fought with Major Grant throughout his glorious defence of Thobal, thanked the Club for their telegram in suitable terms.

Lord Cobham, the new Railway Commissioner, prefers Mr. Blackley's scheme of national insurance to that of Mr. Chamberlain, his experience as deputy-chairman of the Great Western having taught him that the voluntary principle is in this matter not likely to work. Speaking at the Becher Club, near Stourbridge, he told his hearers that they had found it easy for large employers of labour like a railway company, to make a rule that every employe they engage shall contribute to a provident fund, because, if one objected, they could get another who would agree. But for all this, he knew, he said, perfectly well that a large number of the men, if left to themselves, would like the fund divided, and would come into the system if they were really free to choose. On the Great Western a large section of the permanent-way men were offered the option of joining, but they were pretty unanimous in standing outside. Lord Cobham, however, confesses a dislike of compulsion, and is of opinion that it will be years before any system of compulsory Government insurance can in any form become possible. Meanwhile his advice to those who belong to good and sound friendly societies is "to be satisfied and maintain them in stability and efficiency."

Apropos of the death of Mr. George Derbyshire, Chief Inspector of the London Clearing House, it is pointed out that such a "Clearing House" as existed in 1839 for the whole of London, used on some days not more than £108,000 in bank-notes. Forty years afterwards the daily average was over two millions sterling. Last year Mr. Derbyshire handled more than seven thousand millions of money! In one day of 1882 his "Clearing House" balanced to a farthing the sum of £70,848,000.

There is on exhibition in New York an enormous sheep's wool sponge, which is said to be the largest one ever found. It measures 10 feet in circumference and is two feet thick, being quite solid throughout. It was fished up near the Bahama Islands by the crew of a vessel engaged in that trade, and, judging by the stories of the fishermen, they had great difficulty in getting their prize aboard. Being in a small dingy when the hooks fastened themselves in the sponge, the men nearly upset their boat in the effort to haul the sponge to the surface. When it was finally secured, the iron prongs of the hook had become straightened out under the resistance. When thoroughly soaked this monster sponge is said to hold ten pailsful of water, and it is proposed to use it for emptying wells of course.

Emin Pasha is in luck's way. According to a telegram received at Hamburg a day or two ago, he has just despatched to the coast a consignment of ivory to the value of nearly £100,000.

Since the House reassembled in January nine members of Parliament have died—Messrs. Bradlaugh, Kynoch, P. Macdonald, Baring, Cavendish-Bentinck, Tapling, Greene, Barbour, and Colonel Hambro; and three seats—those of Mr. F. W. Maclean, Mr. W. H. Smith, and Captain Verney—have been vacated from other causes. Altogether since the last general election 119 vacancies have occurred, of which 53 were caused by death. The Government have lost 33 of their supporters by death, the other figures being Gladstonians 16, Liberal Unionists 7, and Nationalists 7.

It has now been ascertained that Count Moltke has let a number of valuable MSS, which will be given to the public before long. The old man used to spend some of his leisure hours at Kreisan in writing down reminiscences of his long life, and character sketches of eminent men with whom he had come in contact. The chief literary work, however, which he has left, consists of a number of historic and ethnographic studies, that are said to be of great value and importance. By the way, some of Moltke's orders, alms, and uniforms will be sent, for permanent exhibition, to the interesting collection of military exhibits in the Ruhmes-Halle.

The successful experiments which have been made abroad with dogs as military messengers has caused the German authorities to employ them in yet another capacity on the field of glory. There are, at the present moment, a number of shepherds' dogs in training for finding the wounded on the battle-field, as formerly the St. Bernards were trained to find the frozen wanderers on the lonely paths of the St. Gotthard. The regiment of lancers stationed at Huelben possesses a dozen of these shaggy-coated members of the ambulance corps, which have been taught to hunt up any soldier hidden in the woods and fields in the neighbourhood of the garrison. On finding a soldier they run back and bark till the ambulance waggon arrives, when they return with it to the very door of the hospital.

The far-famed Viennese Choral Society of male voices is on its way to Constantinople, there to enlighten the Turks as to the value of Western vocal music. It was at first intended that only two concerts should be given, the first of them at the residence of the Austrian Ambassador, but the Sultan, on hearing of this, expressed a great desire to have at least one opportunity of listening to the celebrated vocalists, and an additional concert will be given at Abdul Hamid's palace at Yildiz Kiosk. From Constantinople the singers, who are 170 in number, proceed to Athens, where they will also give a concert before returning to Vienna.

The Englishman's companion, the sturdy bull-dog, has been on exhibition in great variety at the Agricultural Hall, Islington, the occasion being the eighteenth show of the Club which makes a specialty of this form of the canine species. Although there are exhibits from the Continent, the United States of America, and Jersey, no animal among the strangers matched the English-bred bull-dog. The first prize in the champion class fell to Mr. P. Beresford-Hope's Bedgebury Lion, a fine white two years old, and British Monarch secured the second prize. Mr. Louis Wain sends us the portrait of the winner, which appears on record from time to time.

The *Gaulois* publishes details of a report submitted to the Academy of Medicine by Dr. Bernheim, with reference to his latest experiments in the transfusion of goat's blood. The doctor states that, out of fourteen patients whom he has treated, two young girls who had reached the last stage of anæmia have been cured, and ten persons suffering from tuberculosis have greatly improved. On the other hand, two patients in an advanced stage of consumption, who were not influenced by the treatment, died six weeks after the first transfusion. Dr. Bernheim adds that his method exercises an important action on consumption in its earlier stages, but should not be resorted to in the case of patients in the last period of the disease.

Mr. Newnes, it seems, is advertising the *Strand Magazine* as having the largest circulation of any periodical in the world. Writes a champion of the *Century* :—"The *Century Magazine* prints, on an average, two hundred and forty to two hundred and fifty thousand a month, and it should be borne in mind that its price is 1s. 4d. and not 6d. It is, of course, primarily published in New York, and editions are issued in London and Melbourne, besides a considerable sale on the Continent. This surely tops the record even of Mr. Newnes's successful venture."

Sir Richard Quain told a story which may serve as a warning to young doctors who are cultivating what is known as a good bedside manner. The husband of a patient once said to him, "I greatly appreciate the anxiety you feel for my poor wife, but please do not let her see it aga in, for after you left the room she asked if you were the undertaker." In bad cases, when asked what would be the result, Sir Richard Quain counselled his hearers to reply, "I am a physician; not a prophet."

The despised fourpenny piece (says a London correspondent) is again to be issued from "our Royal Mint in England," though not for circulation in the British Isles. Proclamations appeared in the *Gazette* announcing that a special issue of "groats" had been directed for circulation in the Leeward Islands and Barbadoes. The obverse is to bear the effigy of her Majesty, with the inscription, "Victoria Queen," and the reverse the word "Fourpence," encircled by an oak wreath, surmounted by the Royal Crown, and the inscription "British Guiana" and "W. Indies."

A writer in a provincial contemporary gives some interesting reminiscences of the late Dr. Morell as a school inspector. Here is a curious story which he tells of "the mechanical ingenuity of a man in Yorkshire," and which he declares Morell narrated to him in sober earnest. This Yorkshire schoolmaster, "on a certain inspection-day was to take a class for some subject which I forget." Morell noticed that the boys stood in a perfect semi-circle, and that each boy stood exactly as his neighbour stood. He noticed also that every few minutes the master opened the lid of a desk at which he was standing. This at last excited Morell's curiosity, and he asked the master for an explanation, which was exactly what the master wanted. It appears that this ingenious brother had a wonderful piece of mechanism running round the semi-circle, with a connecting rod running up the pillar supporting his desk. When he opened his desk it was to touch a spring which brought the whole mechanism into play, and every boy not standing exactly as he should was pricked in the calf by this wonderful contrivance. I had a shrewd suspicion that Morell was poking fun at me, but he assured me he was not, and therefore I tell the tale as it was told to me.

A friend of Sir William Fraser walked with Carlyle for two hours on the day on which Disraeli's letter offering him a pension and a G. C. B. arrived. Carlyle described the letter being brought to him by a Treasury messenger, the large black seal, his wonder as to what the official envelope could contain, and his great surprise on reading the offer, conveyed in language of consummate tact and delicacy. Carlyle said, "The letter of Disraeli was flattering, generous, and magnanimous; his overlooking all that I have said and done against him was great." He added, "The accurate perception of merit in others is one of the highest characteristics of a fine intellect. I should not have given Disraeli credit for possessing it, had it not been brought home so directly to me." He repeated the words "generous" and "magnanimous" several times. Disraeli's letter, by the way, though it entirely deserves the praises above quoted for its tact and delicacy, is by no means impeccable in grammar, for it contains within a dozen lines two instances of the hanging "*and which*."

Busy literary men tempted to scamp their work through the multiplicity of their engagements, must envy the imprisoned patriots their healthy retreat in Galway Gaol. Both Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Dillon are kept supplied with books from the Queen's College Library. Mr. O'Brien, we all know, is writing another novel of the time of Grace O'Malley sweeping the western seas, which, it is prophesied, will become more popular than even "When we were Boys." It is interesting, then, to learn which volumes Mr. O'Brien has borrowed to aid him in his task.

THE OUTBREAK IN VIZAGAPATAM DISTRICT.

Further particulars have reached the *Madras Mail* regarding the outbreak that occurred in the Vizagapatam District on the night of the 23rd ultimo, which resulted in the Police station of the village of Kistnadevapeet, in the taluq of Golgonda, being razed to the ground. The Governor's Agent and the Deputy Inspector General of Police, as we mentioned before, proceeded to Narasapatam, which is about 50 miles distant from Vizagapatam and the nearest town of any importance to the scene of the disturbance, and at once began sending out parties of Police with elephants into the neighbouring hill tracts in pursuit of the rebels, who, it was found, had not only burnt the Police Station and killed three constables, but also endeavoured to carry away a quantity of arms and ammunition. It appears that three men—Madagam Chinnagadoo—who gave much trouble in the Rampa Rebellion—, his brother, a pensioned landholder of Golganda, and another man mustered about four hundred sauras from the hills, and without any warning proceeded to attack the Police Station at Kistnadevapeet. Their apparent object in the first instance was to obtain possession of a quantity of arms and ammunition and to capture a neighbouring village. The parties of police in active pursuit of the rebels have not done much so far, but of the three ringleaders has surrendered himself. No further outbreaks have been attempted and it is reported that the insurgent have gone south and crossed into the neighbouring district of Godavery.

FALSE PACKING OF BOMBAY YARNS.

The *Hongkong Daily Press* writes :—The reply of the Bombay Millowners' Association to the representation made from Hongkong with reference to the false packing of cotton yarn is the reverse of satisfactory. The grievance complained of is that inferior yarn is now packed under tickets that have previously earned a reputation for a certain quality. The Chinese buyers have in consequence become suspicious, and will only buy by sample, declining any longer to look upon the ticket as a guarantee of the real character of the contents of the bale. The loss, therefore, where the yarn is found inferior to previous arrivals under the same ticket, falls upon the importing merchants, whose position is by no means an enviable one, now that this fraudulent packing is becoming common. It is extraordinary that the millowners of Bombay should not recognise the necessity in their own interests of endeavouring to repress the malpractices of unscrupulous individuals amongst their number, for the destruction of confidence is injurious to all. The Secretary of the Association in his letter to Mr. Mehta says it would be quite beyond the province of the committee or the objects of the Association to dictate to members what qualities of yarn they should pack under their respective tickets, and adds that the objectionable practice complained of can only be met by importers and buyers abstaining from dealing in yarns on the quality of which their experience shows they cannot rely. The millowners thus plead the doctrine of *caveat emptor*, a very proper doctrine for any one to rely on within reasonable limits, but on which no respectable association should advance in defence of a system of fraud. Some years ago the Indian Government found it necessary to pass the Cotton Frauds Act in order to prevent frauds in the packing of raw cotton, and something of the same kind may become necessary in respect to the yarn trade if the spinners as a body will not take action to protect themselves against the tricks of dishonest individuals. The Hongkong importers, we understand, do not intend to let the matter rest where it is, and the interests involved are so considerable that their representations must in the low run command respectful attention. To make the tickets carry a guarantee of quality would not be a very large step in advance of the principles embodied in the Merchandise Marks Acts. The present system is undoubtedly fraught with grave danger to the yarn industry of Bombay, and if the millowners refuse to move in the matter legislative interference for the protection of the trade would be fully justified.

TYPES OF FELICITY.

THE HAPPY BACHELOR.

Who is the happy Bachelor? What is he
Who every griffin hopes some day to be?
Well-vouched for on arrival from the West,
Comely and young, accomplished and well-dressed,
Hailed by Society with open arms,
Frankly admired for all his varied charms,
Received at once the pet of every clique,
No one set's patronage he needs to seek.
His sweet light tenor and his curly hair
Gain him straightway the suffrage of the fair:
Good temper, ready wit and pluck, again,
Win popularity among the men.
"Sign for sign or pair o'on" upon his modest hack,
No bolder horseman rides behind the pack;
A deadly bowler and a sure "long-on,"
None shines more brilliant on the tennis-lawn.
On first appearance as *jeune premier*, he
Revives the spirits of the A.D.C.;
His fellow-actors [illegible]
In more domestic scenes he triumphs too
And makes all other bachelors feel blue;
In every house he is, beyond a doubt,
Far and away the favourite diner-out.
All things he touches to his fame redound
And people vow [illegible] fellow's good all round."
Such *is* the happy Bachelor; such is he
Who every griffin hopes some day to be.

THE GLOBE TROTTER.

Who is the happy "Trotter?" What is he
Who every traveller should wish to be?
Luxuriously conveyed across the sea
By P. & O. or bland Messageries,
He comes to China from his motherland,
Letters of introduction in his hand,
Armed with blue glasses, goggles, Jaeger socks,
And a bell-topper in a nice new box;
Resolved to unveil the secrets of Cathay,
Explores the mysteries of Sicawei,
And makes, be certain, ere the day is done
The usual excellent but aged pun.
"Again he urges on his wild career"
And, pausing at the Hermitage for beer,
Along the sandy waste, past flood and[illegible]fell,
Dares the dread solitudes of Bubbling Well;
Notes the ebullient phenomena
And presses onward to far Yokahama,
Whence in a sampan dropping with the tide,
He steers in safety back to Whang

MALTINE WITH COD LIVER OIL.

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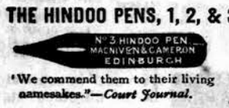

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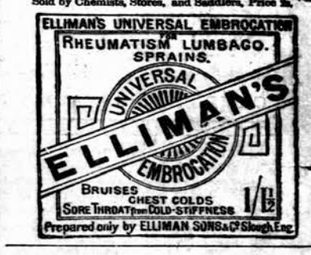

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